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MAY COMPROMISE

Norway and Sweden Getting Closer to Agreement

FORMER WILL CONSENT TO LEVEL FRONTIER FORTS

Swedes Now Say the War Scare is More Norwegian Fear Than Reality.

OUR TEDDY MAY BE ASKED TO ARBITRATE

London, Sept. 14.—One of the most eminent men of Norway, who has just arrived in London, says that at today's session of the disunion conference in Karistad the Norwegian delegates will announce the willingness of their nation to demolish its frontier fortifications.

At the same time they will definitely decline to remove a single stone or a single gun from the historic fortresses of Kongsvinger and Fredriksten, both of which are miles from the Swedish frontier.

The distinguished Norwegian who gives this information comes to London to represent the interests of his nation in England during the progress of the Karistad negotiations. He believes that the conference in that city will not result in a rupture between the two nations.

Would Prefer War.

However, he asserts that the Norwegian people would immeasurably prefer war to the destruction of those beloved old fortresses which are among the country's most cherished possessions.

Indeed he predicts that if by any chance the Norwegian delegates were persuaded to give way to Swedish demands with reference to Kongsvinger and Fredriksten their action would be repudiated by the nation. If it should lose those ancient forts, he says, Norway would rather lose them in battle than give them away in the conference room.

"This," continued Normay's representative, "should be made plain at this critical hour. The Swedes allege that they are not asking us to wreck our old historic works at Kongsvinger and Fredriksten, but when they say this they carefully conceal the fact that they demand the demolition of everything which we have done to modernize these forts. So their ostensible concession to our national sentiments amounts to a willingness on their part to let us keep a pile of useless ruins on the site of each of those strong fortresses."

Formulated Terms.

Prof. Harold Hjarne, a member of the special committee of the Swedish Riksdag, which formulated Sweden's terms of dissolution for the union, is now staying in London. He said today to your correspondent:

"The war scare of the past forty-eight hours has been entirely of Norwegian manufacture. The Norwegians are simply bluffing. They are employing at Karistad the tactics to which Russia resorted at Portsmouth, but which the slightest prospect of achieving a similar success, because we purpose letting them continue to bluff ineffectually."

The Norwegian delegates will climb down eventually. Sweden denies emphatically that it has massed troops and ships in a menacing manner anywhere. If war comes Norway must be the aggressor. We will not fire the first shot. The Norwegians demand that an arbitration treaty be concluded before they accede to our wishes relative to the fortifications. We cannot conclude the treaty in advance, because that would simply be a recognition of Norway's sovereignty before the union is actually dissolved. But we are ready to give our promise that we will enter into an arbitration treaty when dissolution has been accomplished, and that promise will be kept."

One More For Teddy.

Prof. Hjarne says that Sweden would entertain the idea of arbitrating its differences with Norway if President Roosevelt were chosen arbitrator. "We have no confidence whatever in The Hague Tribunal," he declared today, "because it is too Russian."

Talk of War Absurd.

Stockholm, Sept. 14.—Prominent political leaders and military authorities declare that talk of war with Norway is absurd so far as Sweden is concerned. Count Wachtmeister, the foreign minister, authorizes your

correspondent to say that the suspension of the Karistad negotiations for a week in no way denoted that the situation had become more aggravated. It was decided at the first meeting of the delegates, he says, that the conference should consist of two sessions. The second of these sessions is now taking its regular course.

Count Wachtmeister added that there was no reason to doubt that the peaceful and conciliatory spirit which characterized the first session would be continued until the end.

Kaiser May Take a Hand.

Berlin, Sept. 14.—From a diplomatic source your correspondent learns that no matter what happens Germany is resolved not to mix in the Scandinavian controversy. However, if the nations drift to the verge of war and neither demands mediation, the Kaiser would exert himself in behalf of peace.

LAST REHEARSAL

BE HELD THIS EVENING BY THE CHILDREN IN Y. M. C. A. AFFAIR.

Board of Directors Hold Their Postponed Session Tonight—Bible Classes Increasing.

This evening the last rehearsal for the approaching entertainment at The Kentucky will be given at the Young Men's Christian Association by the children who are to take part in the affair. The matinee will be given tomorrow afternoon at the opera house, and the building should be crowded, as a most delightful and charming piece is to be staged. This in itself has attraction while additional patronage is lent because of the fact that the proceeds of the affair go towards building up the association. Next Monday night there will be presented the piece, "David, the Shepherd Boy," by the older people. The cast for both plays have been holding nightly rehearsals and thoroughly acquainting themselves with their parts. Tickets are now on sale at the opera house.

Bible Class.

Now that the oppressively warm weather has about disappeared altogether the attendance at the Bible class each Sunday afternoon is rapidly increasing, so that hour finds many young men at the association rooms pursuing their study of the good book. The hot weather caused a slight decrease in the participants, but now there are many and some instructful and interesting studies are being conducted by Secretary Godfrey.

Anniversary.

General Secretary Godfrey believes he about has the consent of a national association and a professional man to come here one week from the coming Sunday to deliver the main address for that date, which is the association anniversary. The name of the gentleman will not be given out until it is fully agreed to as regards his visit.

Directors Tonight.

This evening at the association building there will be held the session by the board of directors who adjourned from their regular meeting night, last Tuesday. It is the regular monthly gathering and quite a number of questions will come before them for disposal.

STROMBOLI CAUSES ALARM.

Pillar of Fire and Smoke and Crevasse From Volcano's Activity.

New York, Sept. 14.—The Herald's European edition publishes the following from its correspondent at Naples: The eruption at Mount Vesuvius continues as in the last few days, but without tending to increase. On the other hand, according to a telegram to the Mattina, Stromboli is causing great alarm, its crater vomiting a high pillar of fire and dense smoke, accompanied by loud noises.

The ground presents numerous crevasses and many houses have been abandoned. The customhouse and semaphore stations have collapsed.

The exports of olive oil from Algeria during 1904 were 2,150 tons as against 930 tons in 1903. The olive crop for 1903-4 was good, greatly in excess of previous seasons.

Paper car wheels made by pressure from rye-straw paper are usually good enough to take a second set of steel tires after the first set has been worn out by a run of 300,000 miles.

CHAPTER ELECTED

NEW OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR ENSUING YEAR BY THAT BODY.

Committee From Eagles Will Lay Matter of Home Before Commercial Club Next Week.

Wednesday evening at the Fraternity building the Paducah Royal Arch Chapter No. 30 held its annual election of officers and selected the following to officiate in the respective places during the ensuing twelve months: I. O. Walker, high priest; George O. Ingram, king; W. L. C. Schoenfeld, scribe; W. L. Bennett, captain of hosts; C. E. Whitesides, principal journeyman; Clarence Brown, master of first veil; Harry Hank, master of second veil; H. W. Hills, master of third veil; George Gates, sentinel; Fred Nagel, treasurer, and Charles Holliday, secretary. The new officials were installed the same night of the election.

To Interest Citizens.

At the next meeting of the board of directors for the Commercial club, there will be laid before that body the matter of raising funds to be used for purchasing a site to be offered as an inducement for location here of the Widows and Orphans Home to be erected some place over the United States by the national body of the order of Eagles. The local lodge selected Ben Weille, Robert Mosshell and Louis P. Head as the committee to interest the citizens through the Commercial club in the project, and they will do so at the first session that will be sometime next week.

Lodge Sessions.

This evening Ingleside lodge of Odd Fellows holds its regular weekly meeting at the Fraternity building, while tonight the Red Men gather at their hall, on North Fourth street. At the latter session Mr. Lewis Bebout will make a report to the lodge upon the national gathering now going on at Nashville, Tenn., and also their big banquet and entertainment last Friday at Louisville. Mangum lodge of Odd Fellows had its meeting last night at the Fraternity building, while the Elks held their weekly session last evening also.

LADY EXPIRES

MRS. ELIZABETH M'CARTY PASSED AWAY OF BOWEL TROUBLE.

This Afternoon at 3 O'clock There Will Be Held the Funeral of Mr. John V. Grief.

Yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock there passed from life a most estimable lady, Mrs. Elizabeth McCarty, at her residence in 1102 South Third street. Her demise was caused by a prolonged illness with consumption of the bowels, that has kept her confined for some weeks.

Mrs. McCarty was a noble Christian lady who bore her sufferings with that fortitude borne of consecration and religion. She was sixty-seven years of age and had resided here altogether for about twenty years, but the last time for only five years. She was a woman commanding the highest estimation by everybody and her loss is a sad blow to the community in general and her many friends and family in particular.

She was the wife of Mr. John McCarty, the well known ship caulker, who survives.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock the funeral services will be conducted at the residence, and be followed with interment at Oak Grove cemetery.

Mr. Grief's Funeral.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock the funeral services will be held over the remains of the late Mr. John V. Grief, the ceremonies will be conducted at the residence of the deceased, on Sixth and Jackson streets, and be presided over by Rev. T. J. Newell, of the Broadway Methodist church. Following the services interment will occur at Oak Grove cemetery.

The James T. Walbert camp of Confederate veterans will attend in a body, the deceased having been one of the most active members of the organization for years.

Mrs. A. B. Sowell and daughter, Miss Carlyne, have returned from Estill Springs, Tenn., and Lookout Mountain.

BAD MEAT

INSPECTOR WARNER FINDS AND CONDEMNNS AND OILS SOME.

Suggestion Made as Way to Avoid Sale of Uninspected Meat in City.

Yesterday at noon Dr. C. G. Warner, the milk, meat and live stock inspector for the city, condemned about 100 pounds of bad meat that he found at the cold storage department of the ice factory on North First street. He does not know to whom it belongs, as all the butchers carry into the storage their meats which they pile in heaps around at different points, and there is nothing there to evidence to whom each stack belongs. The management of the storage did not know whose it was either.

In making his daily inspection of the cold storage the physician found the bad beef which was on a quarter of bovine. He had it moved to the City Hall, and in order to avoid any contention being raised and the owner claiming the meat was wholesome, Inspector Warner had Dr. P. H. Stewart, county health officer, Dr. Horace Rivers, representative of the state board of health, and Dr. C. H. Brothers, of the city board of health, to examine the meat, and each pronounced it rotten and unfit for use. The inspector then sprinkled the pile with coal oil so as to prevent the owner from trying to dispose of it.

Dr. Warner is finding as a general rule that the dairies and butcher houses are kept in good condition, and this in the first impulse meat he has run up on for some weeks.

In speaking of the practice farmers and others have of peddling meat Dr. Warner said it would be the best thing possible if the city authorities would compel these peddlars to bring their meat to a certain place so they could be inspected before disposed of. At present farmers in the country kill animals and bringing the meat here peddle it to the public. They having no regular place of business except their farm miles down in the rural districts the inspector cannot go out there to examine the meat, neither does he know when they are going to bring it to town, therefore they have an opportunity of disposing of unwholesome meat without detection.

The regular butchers of the city have complained to the municipal legislative boards of this place and tonight at their meeting the ordinance committee of the boards will take up the matter and see if these peddlars cannot be made pay a license, and also make some arrangement for examination of their goods before offered for sale to the public.

TO BE HELD UP

FOR A MONTH Japan Asks That the New Treaty Not Be Made Public.

Paris, Sept. 14.—The foreign office has received a dispatch from the French Minister at Tokio stating that the legation has been re-established, but that the legation as a precautionary measure continues under military guard. The minister also confirms the loss of the battleship Mikasa.

It is the present intention to postpone making public the text of the new treaty between Great Britain and Japan. The officials here were advised that the first plan was to make it public in London and Tokio last Monday, but Japan asked for further time, probably on account of the internal disorders. It was thereupon arranged to let the publication go over for a month, when it is expected the texts of the treaty will be officially communicated to the public at the same time, as the two documents are expected to counterbalance each other with the Japanese public.

However, it is possible that action of the Japanese Diet upon the treaties may lead to a postponement of the publication of their texts beyond a month. In the meantime it is said that the new Anglo-Japanese alliance does not contain surprises outside of the main features summarized in these dispatches, September 7, but that in addition the agreement covers secret clauses known only to the contracting parties and which will not be made public.

USED PISTOL ON RIVAL

Laporte, Ind., Sept. 14.—In a quarrel over a girl Tuesday, Charles Metcalf, of Danville, Ky., shot and seriously wounded Louis Young. Metcalf fired two shots one of which took effect. He then made his escape.

Lawyer Conn Linn, of Murray, is in the city on business.

DONE WITH

GRADER FINISHED WORK YESTERDAY AND WAS SET ASIDE.

Concrete Pavement Men Are Working After Nightfall in Order to Push Things.

Yesterday the grading machine finished its work on the South Third street reconstruction and was set to one side at Broad and Third streets. The machine goes along and tears up the gravel and by the mechanism arranged pulls up the dirt and gravel and dumps both into the wagons that drive alongside the moving grader. In this way nearly all the dirt and gravel is gotten off the street in making the grade and leaves to be done only a little of that work where the laborers have to go along with their shovels and scoop up the dirt and gravel into the wagons in smoothing off the bottom of the excavation preparatory for the concrete and brick work.

The brick have been laid all the way from Third and Kentucky avenue to Third and Husbands streets and there stopped some days ago because the supply of brick on hand gave out and no more shipments have been received since. Several carloads are expected any day, and pending their arrival the workmen have started to laying the concrete foundation at Third and Broad streets and are now working towards Third and Husbands, where the brick have stopped. When they get all that concrete down on Third they will then begin spreading it from Third and Broad over the latter thoroughfare to where Fourth street intersects Broad, that being the end of the improvement. By the time the foundation is done the balance of the brick will have arrived and the entire reconstruction can be fully completed. Contractor Bridges believes that he will have the brick work for the full length of the improvement all done by the first of next month.

The contractors are pushing the concrete sidewalk work also, as last night until a late hour the laborers were laying the sidewalk on Third between Clark and Adams streets.

The brick inside the street car rails have been laid only a block or two beyond Kentucky avenue on Third.

LADIES WORKING

WOMEN'S COMMITTEE FOR HORSE SHOW MET YESTERDAY.

Are Now Outlining Their Programme of Events—General Session Tonight of Everybody.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. James A. Rudy had to meet the women's committee of the Paducah Horse Show association in order they could talk over things and get their portion of the work outlined for the entertainment of that character to be given next month. She is the chairman of the ladies body which is proving amongst the most enthusiastic promoters of the affair.

The ladies have charge of arranging certain things in connection with the show, one being to get together a list of prizes that will be given for riders during the exhibition, and yesterday they decided to at once get out and ascertain who will ride as couples and single during the show, so they could more intelligently enter upon their important feature of the preparations. They have about decided upon their programme and within the next few days will have things complete in this respect.

Another general meeting will be held tonight by all the committeemen, directors, and others at the Palmer parlors, and it is the desire of all that everyone be present so as to fear as many reports as possible regarding what progress has been made. It is now four weeks until there arrives the dates set for the show and things have to be pushed along with alacrity to have all details arranged, as many different things come up to be looked after.

THE FEVER AT NEW ORLEANS

New Orleans, Sept. 14.—A few new cases and a few deaths continue to be the fever record here. The weather is clear and if it so continues a diminution of cases of fever is expected. It is now thought the scourge will continue a month longer at least.

VERDICT FOR \$350

RETURNED BY A LIVINGSTON COUNTY JURY AGAINST REGISTER.

Was One of Worten's Notorious Damage Suits—Interesting Court History of the Stones.

In the circuit court at Smithland yesterday the jury in the case of Elden Stone against The Register Newspaper company for libel, rendered a verdict of \$350 in favor of the plaintiff. The case will be appealed.

The suit against The Register was for \$5,000 for a publication that appeared in it August 30, 1904, wherein Elden Stone was spoken of as a thief. At the trial of the case two reputable business men of Paducah who formerly resided in Crittenden county, where young Stone was reared, and who knew him from childhood, swore on the stand that Elden Stone was regarded as a thief in that community. Judge L. D. Sanders testified that young Stone pleaded guilty in the Paducah police court of stealing from a fellow prisoner. City Jailer Ewitt testified to the same, so did Captain Joe Woods and Patrol Driver John Austin. The officers also testified that Elden Stone's character was bad in this city among his neighbors and acquaintances. F. M. Bailey, former watchman at the basket factory where Stone worked for a short while, and Charles Osborne, who also worked at the same place, testified that Elden Stone's character and reputation was bad. Only two of Stone's witnesses testified unqualifiedly that his character was good, one of them being his father and the other had been arrested charged with stealing a skiff. His other five witnesses testified that they thought or believed his reputation and character to be good. Some of those had been arraigned in the police court.

At the time Elden Stone was given thirty days for petty larceny in the Paducah city court, he was then in the city prison serving out a \$50 fine for a breach of the peace. The breach of the peace consisted of threatening to kill Watchman Bailey at the basket factory, and it is alleged that he was on the premises a night or two looking for Bailey. In addition to the \$50 fine Judge Sanders put him under a \$200 peace bond for twelve months towards Bailey and all other employees of the basket factory.

In January, 1904, young Stone was shot by a young fellow in the northern part of the city, and it was claimed to have been accidental, but the police had other suspicions.

Last year in Crittenden county three indictments were returned against Elden Stone charging him with injuring and disfiguring cattle, killing cattle, and destroying and disfiguring property not his own. He was tried at Marion and found guilty of the charges.

This is something of the record of a young fellow 18 years of age, and who a Livingston county jury said his character had been damaged \$350. It is said that the jury stood one for \$500, seven for from \$350 to \$450 and four for no damages at all, but finally \$350 was agreed upon.

J. Mark Worten, of this city, who brought 60 to 75 suits against the city of Paducah for \$10,000 each for ex-prisoners who had been on the chain gang, and which suits amounted to \$600,000 to \$750,000, and which have been virtually thrown out by the courts, was Elden Stone's attorney. Worten formerly lived in Livingston county and the suit was brought there because a limited number of The Register circulate in that county, though Stone lives in Paducah. A party in Paducah some days ago stated that "They would get The Register this time."

In March, this year, Sam Stone, the father of Elden Stone, through Mark Worten sued The Register in Livingston county for \$10,000 for alleged libel and the jury gave a verdict in favor of The Register.

The Stones' Court Record.

Within the last fifteen months the Stones, both father and son, have been somewhat conspicuous in the courts of Crittenden, Livingston and McCracken counties, including the United States court.

On June 8, 1904, Elden Stone was fined \$10 in the Paducah police court for a breach of the peace, threatening to kill a man; also placed under a \$200 peace bond.

On June 13, Elden Stone was sentenced to 30 days imprisonment on the charge of stealing while in the

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MARABLE'S TERM

Goes to Pen for Twenty-one Years for Murder.

KILLED HIS MAN FOR MONEY FOR WHISKEY

Rube Minor Brutal Assailant of the Late Jas. Crow, Got Five Years.

NOTES FROM THE COURTS HERE AND ELSEWHERE

Twenty-one years in the penitentiary was the sentence given yesterday, by the jury of the circuit court, to Ed Marable, the negro who murdered Walter Brown, at Eighth and Burnett street, last spring. The jury remained out only an hour or so with the proceeding and quickly made their report.

Marble one night met Brown near the intersection in question and wanted some money with which to buy whiskey, both having been drinking. Brown refused this request and a quarrel arose during which Marble jerked a wooden paling off a fence and commenced delivering blow after blow over the head of his antagonist, whom he downed at the first stroke. The head of the victim was bent into a jelly and he taken to the city hospital for treatment, but survived only a few hours.

Marble made his escape, but the next afternoon was captured by Officer Moore Churchill, who trailed him down to Metropolis and then back to Maxon's Mill, eight miles down in the county on the Cairo pike. The policeman conducted his pursuit on a bicycle and his efforts were finally rewarded by seeing a negro act suspicious underneath the railroad trestle by the mill. Over-taking the man he found it was Marble and brought him back to jail where he has been ever since. Marble claimed he was drunk and knew nothing of the assault, if he had been guilty of one.

Minor Got Five Years.

Rube Minor, colored, was given five years in the penitentiary yesterday, for assaulting the late James Crow two years ago aboard the steamer Dick Fowler during a colored excursion between here and Mound City. Captain Crow was not coroner then, and was procured by the boat officers to go along and keep peace among the darkies, if any got drunk and raised trouble. While Mr. Crow was pursuing his duty during a row, Minor slipped up behind him, knocked him down and beat him over the head with a beer bottle or something else. A special jury tried the case yesterday, as when he adjourned court Wednesday Judge Reed dismissed the regular jurors until 9 o'clock yesterday morning. As the Dick Fowler leaves here each morning at 9 o'clock the crew, who were witnesses, asked the judge to try the case at 8 o'clock so it could be finished and crew dismissed in order they could leave on the boat. The hour wanted being one hour before the regular jury was supposed to be back the court had to have a special jury summoned in order to accommodate the steamboat men.

Indictments.

The grand jury brought in three more indictments.

Will Matthews was indicted on the charge of taking and using the watch belonging to Andrew Hall. Matthews was given the watch by Hall to take to the jeweler and be repaired. Instead Matthews pawned it to the Cohen, where it was found. Matthews pleaded guilty and was given one year in the penitentiary.

Charles Johnson, alias "Dago", and Thomas Baker, colored, were both indicted in the same bill, on the charge of cutting Greathouse Cheatham also of color, out at Ninth and Washington streets because Cheatham accused one of them with stealing his money and watch that had been left lying on a chair in his room while he stepped out a moment. The charges against these two were set for trial on the 12th day of the term, and Lawyer Albin Barkley selected to defend them.

Gus Aubrey, white, was indicted on the charge of forging the name of Captain J. B. Smith, of Metropolis, to a check for \$10 and getting it cashed at the City National bank. Aubrey is a steamboat man himself, while Captain Smith is the former owner of the steamer Charleston that was sold Wednesday under Federal court orders. This charge was set for trial on the 15th day of the term and an order of attendance issued for Captain Smith, so he can be called here from Metropolis to testify.

Vlaholes Closed Up.

Lawyer Cecil Reed has filed suit in the court of Justice Jesse Young against James Vlaholes for rent claimed due on the building the defendant occupies as a confectionary, on Broadway next to the queensware establishment close to Fourth street. Vlaholes owes \$75 rent to the owner of the building, Max Nahm, of Bowling Green, who has Mr. Reed as his representative here. On Vlaholes

being unable to pay the rent the lawyer filed the suit in the nature of a distress warrant in the court of Justice Young, who had Constable Shelton to close the confectionary and take charge. The stock will be sold September 25th by the constable and the rent paid out of the proceeds of the sale. It is understood that the property is mortgaged.

Sued For Balance.

J. F. Nicholson, former agent of the Southern Mutual Investment company, yesterday filed suit in the court of Justice Jesse Young for \$9.83 against the company. Nicholson claimed the company owed him \$12 for his services, and refused to pay same. He collected \$2.17 for the company and kept the money, to partly reimburse him for that owing. Manager Wilson, of the company, had Nicholson arrested on the charge of embezzling the \$2.17 and the case comes up today in the police court. Nicholson now sues the company for the balance owing him. By mistake it was printed through these columns that he embezzled several hundred dollars, but that was erroneous, and he claims to be in the right altogether.

Today's Docket.

There is set for trial today the following charges: Samuel and Thomas Evitts, for alleged beating up of Officer Samuel Beales; Slick Yeltina and Harry Phillips, on the charge of stealing a watch from J. E. Warford; James Taylor, on the charge of stealing a bicycle belonging to one party and selling it to another, claiming the property was his; Wm. Wells, on the charge of shooting Henry Tumar, colored, out on the Mayfield road, when they had a dispute in which Tumar claimed Wells was plying over on Tumar's property, which adjoins that of the other party.

Wants Divorce.

Lettie Simmons yesterday filed a suit for divorce in the circuit court against her husband, Harry A. Simmons. They married here June 9, 1904, and lived together until May 20, 1905. She claims he beat her and otherwise mistreated her. In addition to the divorce she wants restoration to her maiden name of Lettie Pearson. The defendant is the former driver for the Southern Express company.

Report of Sale.

Commissioner W. E. Bagby leaves next Sunday for Louisville, where Monday he will make a report to Judge Walter Evans, of the Federal court, of the sale here of the People's Independent Telephone company to The Paducah Home Telephone company. The United States court judge has to approve of the sale before it is effective.

Mr. Blow Here.

Mr. V. J. Blow, the prominent Louisville state man, returned yesterday to the city, after a business trip down through West Kentucky and Tennessee. He comes in response to the subpoena summoning him before the grand jury as a witness in the charge of murder against H. H. Lovins, who killed H. A. Rose.

Cowan Got Twenty-one Years.

Yesterday morning at Smithland James Cowan received 21 years in the penitentiary for killing Warren Woodward several years ago. They quarreled about their children fussing and Cowan blew Woodward's head off with a shotgun.

Allowance Made.

James Owen was allowed a claim of \$23.80 against the estate of H. H. Hobson, in the proceeding of P. H. Stewart against E. W. Hobson.

STARTS OUT TO SEE WORLD.

Graves County Man Who Has Spent Life in One Neighborhood.

(Louisville Post.)

Henry M. Ellis, of the eastern part of Graves county, is visiting Louisville on a pleasure trip.

Though fifty-eight years old, Mr. Ellis has spent no time in travel outside of Graves and Marshall counties, having lived continuously in one neighborhood for thirty-two years.

Mr. Ellis says: "For thirty-two years I have lived within a square of just a few miles. A few weeks ago I took a notion I ought to see some of this great country of ours before I die, I commenced making arrangements to see some of the big cities. I have been reading the papers all along, and, of course, have a very fair idea of what a great city looks like, but have never yet seen one. I'm going to see some of them from top to bottom before I get back, though."

"ALFALFA" SPECIAL WILL MAKE TOUR OF KENTUCKY

Frankfort, Ky., Sept. 14.—Agricultural Commissioner Hubert Vreeland has completed final arrangements for the alfalfa "special," which is to make a tour of the state and which will prove a boon to thousands of farmers of Kentucky.

Mr. Vreeland has been granted the use of the private car of President Cox, of the Louisville, Henderson & St. Louis railway, for the 10-day schedule of his special train, which will almost traverse the state from one end to the other and make 90 stops on the itinerary.

The itinerary will include a stop at Paducah.

The train will consist of the engine, a baggage car, a day car and the private car. The baggage coach will be used to transport the samples of alfalfa and corn which will be exhibited along the route. Ten thousand and booklet on the cultivation of corn and alfalfa, with a special introduction by Mr. Vreeland, will be distributed on the trip to the farmers.

On board the special train will be Mr. Wing and Prof. Holden, who last year increased the corn crop of Iowa 10,000,000 bushels by running special trains over the state, demonstrating to the farmers of the state the necessity of selecting the properly cultivating the crop. A representative of the Kentucky experimental station will also be on board, as well as Commissioner Vreeland, R. C. Crenshaw, assistant commissioner of agriculture; R. C. Giltner, a prominent stockman, of Eminence; Willis Wing, brother of Col. Joseph E. Wing, and perhaps several others interested in the movement will make the trip.

On the baggage car will be specimens of alfalfa and corn. Farmers will also be given the opportunity to see demonstrations of alfalfa grown in Kentucky. Samples of alfalfa will be shown of the grain five and one-half feet in height grown on a one hundred acre field one-half mile from Frankfort.

Alfalfa growing in Kentucky is comparatively a new departure among the farmers and its introduction is due to the efforts of Commissioner Vreeland. Since its introduction it has become very popular as stock food. It is prolific in its growth and the soil of Kentucky is well adapted

to its raising. Mr. Vreeland thinks that the lecture delivered by Prof. Holden will be of great benefit to the Kentucky farmers in the matter of increasing their corn yield.

It is planned to make thirty-minute stops at all points of the itinerary, which will be published in the county papers of every county in which stops will be made.

The special train will start from Louisville on the morning of the 25th of September and will end its work at noon October 4.

Itinerary for First District.

The itinerary of the "Alfalfa Special," which will be run through the first district by Agricultural Commissioner Hubert Vreeland, of Frankfort, which includes Paducah, is as follows:

October 2—Leaves Louisville 7:05 a. m., arrive Vine Grove 8:13 a. m.; leave Vine Grove 8:43 a. m., arrive Leitchfield 9:41 a. m.; leave Beaver Dam 11:40 a. m., arrive Rockport 11:56 a. m.; leave Rockport 12:26 p. m., arrive Greenville 12:56 p. m.; leave Greenville 1:28 p. m., arrive Dawson 2:21 p. m.; leave Dawson 2:51 p. m., arrive Princeton 3:17 p. m.; leave Princeton 3:47 p. m., arrive Kuttawa 4:11 p. m.; leave Kuttawa 4:41 p. m., arrive Calvert 5:07 p. m.; leave Calvert 5:37 p. m., arrive Paducah 6:05 p. m.

October 3—Leave Paducah 7:45 a. m., arrive Mayfield 8:28 a. m.; leave Mayfield 8:58 a. m., arrive Fulton 9:36 a. m.; leave Fulton 10:06 a. m., arrive Clinton 10:31 a. m.; leave Clinton 11:01 a. m., arrive Bradwell 11:26 a. m.; leave Bradwell 11:56 a. m., arrive Wickliffe 12:10 p. m.; leave Wickliffe 12:40 p. m., arrive East Cairo 12:50 p. m.; leave East Cairo 12:55 p. m., arrive La Center 1:16 p. m.; leave La Center 1:46 p. m., arrive Maxon 2:06 p. m.; leave Maxon 2:39 p. m., arrive Paducah 2:56 p. m.; leave Paducah 3:05 p. m.; arrive Princeton 4:30 p. m.; leave Princeton 4:35 p. m., arrive Fredonia 4:55 p. m.; leave Fredonia 5:26 p. m., arrive Marion 5:46 p. m.

October 4—Leave Marion 8 a. m., arrive Sturgis 8:35 a. m.; leave Sturgis 9:05 a. m., arrive Morganfield 9:40 a. m.; leave Morganfield 10:10 a. m., arrive Corydon 10:33 a. m., arrive Henderson 11:20 a. m.

CLEAN BREAST

BOODLE SENATOR COULDN'T TELL ENOUGH ABOUT GRAFT.

Bunkers on Stand Three Hours at Trial of His Associate in 'Frisco.

Sacramento, Cal., Sept. 14.—Brought from his cell to confront his alleged associate in the boodling combine of last winter, Harry Bunkers, ex-state senator from San Francisco, has made a complete confession on the witness stand in Judge Hart's courtroom, where the trial of E. J. Emmons, one of the quartet of the state senators, indicted by the grand jury, was in progress. From the moment of his entry to the courtroom until he left it, pale and perspiring, three hours later, Bunkers was the central figure in one of the most dramatic exposures in criminal trials of this state. He left nothing untold, and in his eagerness to unobscure himself he forestalled the objections of the defense with statements relating to the motives and actions of the four disgraced legislators. Much of this was stricken from the testimony. He detailed the plan of campaign, which he says was one whereby the building and loan associations of the state were to be "held up" and compelled to pay for protection.

He told also of receiving money, stating that Joseph Johnson had dropped his roll of \$350 in his pocket as he stood in the street just as Jordan said he did, and had said that Emmons receive his share but two minutes before. Lastly, he told of the terror and fright that followed the exposure in the senate; of a hasty conference held in Emmons' room over the disposal of the marked bills and of the suggestions that were made to clear themselves of guilt.

Bunkers was still on the stand when court adjourned for the day. —Subscribe for the Register.

K. OF P. HOME

QUESTION BE SETTLED AT THE COMING STATE MEETING.

Paducah Has In a Bid and Delegates Will See What Can Be Done in Premises.

When there meets next month at Hopkinsville the state lodge for the Knights of Pythias of Kentucky there will again be brought up the question of deciding in what city there shall be located the home that is to be started by the organization. Paducah has a bid in on the proposition and will work hard for the place when the question is again opened.

The Kentucky Knights of Pythias want to build a home and the different cities over the commonwealth want the proposed institution located within their gates. Many towns make offers for the buildings, and Lexington seems to have been the best from one standpoint, but not from others. That place wants to give the Knights of Pythias \$10,000 and then let the secret order buy a \$30,000 farm and mansion standing thereon several miles from town and erect the home on this site. Along with their proposition though the Lexington people want the privilege of keeping at the Pythian home all the orphan children of that city and county. They ask this privilege along with contribution of the \$10,000, but this will cause the offer to be rejected by the grand lodge of Pythians who don't want strings tied to any proposal.

The next best bid comes from Paducah, and it is needless to state that each delegate will have the matter opened again and urge the claims of this place.

The home proposition was up before the grand lodge meeting last fall, but was referred in order to be further looked into.

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NEW ORDINANCES

JOINT COMMITTEE OF LEGISLATIVE BOARDS MEET TONIGHT.

Will Take Up a Number of Proposed Acts Which Are to Be Adopted.

Tonight at the meeting of the joint ordinance committee from the municipal legislative boards there will be taken up the question of making peddlars of meat and vegetables pay a license to do business, just the same as do the people who conduct this character of business at the public market house. These people buy up meat and then going around town hawk it to anyone who wants to purchase. In doing this they have to pay only a wagon license, but the butchers and vegetable dealers claim this is an injustice and have laid their complaint before the legislative authorities, who can only see remedial effects through the passage of ordinances making these peddlars pay a butcher's license also. It is also probable that the meat peddlars will be compelled to take their beef, venison, pork, etc., to the meat-inspector so he can examine them in order to see if they are wholesome. These peddlars having no place of business the inspector does not know where to look at their meat, and possibly arrangements may be made for them to bring it to his place of business, because no one is allowed to dispose of meat without the stamp of the inspector, certifying that the meat has been examined and is in good condition.

Extend Fire Limits.

Another bill that will be up and drawn into shape for presentation and adoption by the full joint board is one extending the fire limits of the city of Paducah. At present the limits begin at the foot of Monroe street, at the river front, go out Monroe to Fifth, up Fifth to Broadway, out Broadway to Sixth, so as to include all buildings on both sides of that thoroughfare up to Sixth, then back down Broadway to Fifth, up Fifth to Clark and down Clark to the river, then along the water's edge to starting point, First and Monroe streets. This includes the main business portion of the town, and the fire limit ordinance prescribes that within these boundaries no frame structures can be erected, because of their susceptibility to fire and the further reason that they act as feeders to flames during a fire and spread conflagrations. By this ordinance all the old frames have to be torn down when they go to ruin and be replaced with brick structures or ones covered with corrugated iron. In this manner all the frames will finally be gotten rid of down in the business portion of the city. Now that the business part of town is rapidly branching out it is the desire to extend the fire limits also, and new ordinances to this effect will be drawn up. The limits will be extended so as to embrace, in addition to the regular district, the following: Starting at Fifth and Monroe, out Monroe to Seventh, up Seventh to Washington, down Washington to Sixth, up Sixth to Clark, down Clark to Fifth and then along Fifth back to Monroe.

Lewd Women Bill.

There will be some changes made in the ordinance preventing lewd women from entering saloons, under penalty of being fined \$25 and sent to jail for thirty days. One provision in the bill says a lewd woman cannot come within fifty feet of a saloon, and if this prevails all would have to get over on the other side of the street when nearing a coffee house. Some portions will be cut out and new ones put in. The proprietor of a saloon is subject to a fine of \$25 and thirty day jail sentence for letting a lewd woman come into his groghop, while for the second offense his license is to be taken away.

Franchise Measure.

The committee tonight will also get into condition the ordinances that renew the franchise possessed by Owen Brothers for a ferry privilege between this city and Brookport and the Illinois landings opposite. Their old grant expires this month. The ordinance to this effect was before the aldermen ten nights ago but some flaw existed and it had to be drawn over again.

Numerous Others.

A number of other bills are to be taken up and gotten into presentable shape for adoption by the legislative boards, and the session of the committee tonight will doubtless be a lengthy one.

WOMAN LOSES HER LIFE IN HOTEL FIRE.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 14.—A woman who registered as Mrs. Brown at Miller's, a small hotel on South Main street, was burned to death in a fire which destroyed that building yesterday. Strenuous efforts were made to rescue the woman, but she was apparently crazed by fright and successfully resisted all attempts to take her from her room.

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THE REHKOPF ESTABLISHMENT ABANDONS THE SPRINKLING SYSTEM.

Contractor Hymarsh Starts on Kirchhoff Building Monday—Express Company Seeks New Building.

Mr. E. Rehkopf, the big leather worker, has abandoned the idea of installing the fire sprinkling system through his several buildings, at Second and Broadway, and instead is having fire doors placed throughout the different structures so that no drafts whatever can be created during a blaze and the flame cooped up inside whatever room it happens to break out in.

Begin Work Monday.

Contractor Hymarsh said yesterday that Monday his men would commence excavating for the foundation of the new building being erected by Mr. Frank Kirchhoff, on Third street between Broadway and Jefferson. They have torn down the old structure and cleared up the ground for the new building that will be finished by the time winter arrives.

Broadway Location. Superintendent L. Minor, of the

Southern Express company, was here yesterday from Nashville, Tenn., and found that Agent Decker, of the local office, had built up such a mammoth business that their present quarters on South Third street near Broadway were not large enough to properly handle the patronage, so he authorized the local representative to get another building around on Broadway some place and take a lease for the purpose of occupying it. Mr. Decker is looking for a building that has a front and back entrance, as these buildings are of more convenience and use to the company than those with only a front entrance.

Locates in Texas.

Mr. Plummer Newell left yesterday for Tolar, Texas, to enter the insurance and banking business with his brother-in-law, Mr. Bomar Sweeney. The young man is the oldest son of Rev. T. J. Newell, of this city, and has been connected with the commission establishments of Paducah for several years past.

Great Britain's government has decided to secure and protect for the nation the ancient ramparts erected by Edward I around the town of Berwick-on-Tweed. These ruins are of great antiquarian and historical value.

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OFF TO REFORM

WILL MCLENNAND WILL PAY PENALTY FOR HOUSE-BREAKING.

Alonzo Sansbury and Si Shelby, Colored, Arrested for Shooting Craps—Unknown Drunk.

This morning Officers Gus Rogers left for Lexington, Ky., with Will McLennand, the little negro boy who broke into the room of Hattie Hord, negress, and stole several gold rings. The lad was ordered confined in that institution by the circuit court judge several days ago and Patrolman Rogers designated as the person to carry him away. One of the substitutes on the police force will fill the patrolman's place during his absence. The negro boy was in the woman's room behind the Boswell home, on North Fifth street, when the negress came home and detected him. He leaped out of the window and over the back fence, but landed in the arms of a negro man, who held and searched him and found the rings in his pocket that he had taken out of the trunk. He was then locked up.

Shooting Craps. Alonzo Sansbury and Si Shelby, both colored, were locked up last night by Officers Potter and Goun

MANY THOUSANDS

THE COUNTY CLERK FURNISHING LIST OF REALTY TRANSFERS.

County Jailor Fayette Jones Denies That He Is a Candidate for Chief of Police.

The deputies in the county clerk's office are now busily engaged making a list showing real estate transfers during the past year, where the deeds were lodged for record in that office. This list is furnished County Assessor John Hughes and shows what party has sold real estate during the past twelve months, to whom it was sold, the amount gotten for same and the location thereof. This list is gotten out for the assessor so he will know how to make proper transfers on his books in making up the assessment of county and city property for state and county tax purposes. There are generally several thousand transfers in a year's time, and the list will be finished in a week or two.

Petty Charges Tried.

Judge Lightfoot tried Eva Johnson, Katie May and May Belle, all colored, on the charge of vagrancy, and gave them thirty days each in the county jail. They are worthless negroes and had been held to the grand jury, but the county judge tried them.

Judge Lightfoot also tried Bony Jones, colored, on the petty larceny charge, and sent him to the county jail for three months. Jones is the darky who stole the cap at Wallerstein's last Saturday night and was caught after a lively chase by Sheriff Lee Potter.

Not a Candidate.

It has been reported that Jailor Fayette Jones was a candidate for chief of police before the board of police commissioners of this city, but he said yesterday that the rumor was erroneous, as when he went out of the county jailor's office the first of next year his public life would close and he would not seek further honors in the arena. The commissioners elect the chief of police the first of each year.

Licensed to Wed.

The county clerk yesterday issued a marriage license to J. Frank Cooley, aged 37, of Cairo, and Minnie Meacham, aged 37, of Mayfield. It was the first venture for the groom and second for the bride.

BANQUET FOR 100

ALL ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR SOCIAL FEATURE BY THE T. P. A.

Feast Will Be Given at the Palmer Night of Second Day the "Flying Squadron" Is Here.

The entertainment committee for the big rally to be had next week by the Paducah Traveling Men's Protective Association yesterday morning closed arrangements with the Palmer management for an excellent banquet to be given one week from next Saturday evening, September 23rd, at which time covers will be set for 100 feasters. Invitations will be sent out in a few days requesting the presence at the banquet of those desired. The participants at the feast will be the members of the local post and those eligible to affiliation.

This banquet is given the night of the second day of the visit here by the "Flying Squadron," which consists of Mr. Jerry M. Porter and the two other national association directors, who will swoop down on the city and inaugurate a two days' vigorous campaign for new members. They have already arranged to come here, preparations to this effect being completed at the meeting a few days ago by the national directors over at St. Louis.

While the trio is here different committees of the local post will accompany them around over the city, visiting those people who are eligible to affiliation and urging that they join the body, which is a most beneficial and protective one to the traveling men the world over.

Low Rates to California.

From September 15, to October 31, the Illinois Central Railroad company will sell one-way second-class tickets to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego, Cal., for \$33.00. J. T. Donovan, Agt. Paducah, Ky. G. C. Warfield, T. A., Union Depot.

leux, who detected them shooting craps out about Ninth and Washington streets.

Too Much Booze.

An unknown white man too drunk to tell his name, was picked up yesterday morning by Officers Terrell and Cross, downtown, and locked up. He had on him a jag good enough for any rounder.

Very Low Rates

Announced, Via SOUTHERN RAILWAY. Extremely low rates are announced via the Southern railway from points on its lines for the following special occasions:

Richmond, Va.—Farmers' National congress, Sept. 12-22, 1905.

Rates for the above occasion open to the public. Tickets will be sold to these points from all stations on the Southern railway. Detailed information can be had upon application to any ticket agent of the Southern railway or agents of connecting lines or by addressing the undersigned.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Register is authorized to announce HARRY S. ALLEN as a candidate for Coroner of McCracken county, subject to action of the democratic precinct and county convention to be held Wednesday, October 11, at the county courthouse.

Worten's Lawsuits.

The verdict of the Livingston county jury yesterday against this paper for \$350 for alleged libel came a surprise to the good people of Paducah where the Stones and their attorney, Mark Worten, are so very well known.

That there was a sinister motive in bringing the suit in Livingston county cannot be denied, for it is a fact that in December last Mark Worten brought a suit for Sam Stone in the McCracken circuit court against the editor of another Paducah newspaper and also another suit for Sam Stone against the newspaper itself in this county three weeks ago for alleged libel. Those cases are yet to be tried. We have been told that Worten gave as his reason for suing the editor referred to above, was because he (Worten) had it in for him. Therefore, it may be assumed that these suits are really Worten's and that the Stones are merely being used as his tools in the matter.

That Worten's hatred for The Register and its principal owner is deep and vicious, we have plenty of evidence, and have but to refer to the fact that in his speech before the Livingston county jury Wednesday he so far forgot himself in a court as to say that even if the article as published in The Register was true that the one about whom it was published ought to get a shotgun, go to the newspaper office, find the man who wrote the article or was responsible for it, and shoot him down like a dog.

Such arguments as that are anarchistic, and to a certain class it might inspire them to lawlessness and to create serious trouble, something that every thoughtful man seeks to avoid. Worten further told the jury that he wished they understood the case like he did. If the jury had understood the whole matter as Worten did, the verdict would have been against him, as has been the case so often with his recent line of law suits.

The article on which the suit was based was published over a year ago, August 30, 1904, yet no suit is brought until Worten, by his chain gang suits, lost the confidence of the public, and because The Register as a taxpayer and newspaper, protested against those suits his enemy and ill will towards this paper grew still deeper.

When Worten struck this city we were on friendly terms, but it was not long before he saw fit to take up another's differences and begin to denounce this paper, but no attention was paid to it. Finally as city attorney he either ignorantly or maliciously gave the council the wrong advice to keep this paper from obtaining the city printing and deprived us of \$1,000 worth of business. Then it was that The Register began to defend itself and did not hesitate to criticize any of Worten's official acts that we thought deserved criticism. And when he filed \$600,000 or \$700,000 worth of law suits against the city we very frankly pointed out that for those suits to go against the

city meant to bankrupt it, and said the courts would knock them out, and the courts did. That very conduct on the part of Worten made him the most unpopular attorney at the local bar, a fact which he has doubtless discovered. The Register had nothing whatever to do with the suits being brought. Worten served official notice on the mayor that he had an interest in every one of them and that if the city settled any of them without his knowledge that he would hold it responsible for his interest in them. The city has never paid one cent on the chain gang suits.

Worten, nor any other man must not get the idea into their heads that they can bluff and bluster around about other people and not expect the other fellow to have anything to say. This is a free country and every man can have his say and look out for No. 1.

The Register does not wish to air its affairs except in so far as occasions may demand. Its course on public questions has been open and independent and at times even Worten has agreed with it, notably on the famous Pryor decision about the city not being legally in the second class. But whether a good feeling existed or not between us and any man who would bring suits against the taxpayers of this city for ex-prisoners who worked out their fines on the chain gang, our position would be just as decidedly against that element as it has been up to now. The most reprehensible part of Worten's connection with those suits rests on the fact that after the city went in the second class he was the city's official legal adviser for a salary of \$900 a year, and it was his duty to advise the city officials if they were wrong, but Mayor Yeiser and Judge Sanders emphatically state that Worten never did open his head to them about working prisoners on the chain gang, and shortly after he quit drawing a salary from the city he began filing suits of \$10,000 each for ex-prisoners, and it is a fact that not a single other member of the bar ever filed any of the 60 to 75 suits against the city. For our defense of the taxpayers against raids by ex-prisoners this paper has been called upon to go to a distant county to defend two law suits, one of which we won and the other we will appeal, and which are and were the only two suits against The Register in its ten years of publication.

In the news columns will be found an account of the plaintiff's litigation and court record for the past fifteen months, and it will certainly convince our readers that the Stones and Mark Worten seem to be hand in glove in their efforts to extract money from any one they can sue. The people of this city know about the character of the element that works out fines on the chain gang and with rare exceptions they are of the lowest and most vicious elements. And we believe that the lawyer who undertakes to represent that class in litigation against the city, and the public, does himself a great injury in every way, for he will certainly find the good people of the community arrayed against him. The Register has cast its lot on the side of the decent citizenship and such verdicts as that of yesterday will not have one particle of effect on its policy. It has been Worten's pleasure before to win in the lower court in a suit brought by The Register, but when it reached the court of appeals it was not only reversed but a mandate issued awarding The Register its demands, and until the highest court in the state so decides, Worten nor the class of people he represents, will ever see a cent of this paper's money.

TODAY.

So here hath been dawning another blue day;
Think, wilt thou let it slip useless away?

Out of eternity this new day is born;
Into eternity at night will return.
Behold it aforesaid no eye ever did;
So soon it forever from all eyes hid.
Here hath been dawning another blue day;

Think, wilt thou let it slip useless away?

—Thomas Carlyle.

The total authorized strength of the militia of the several states is 178,787 men.

The naval militias of the several states comprise 443 officers and 4,740 enlisted men.

BEGIN ASSESSING

THE CITY ASSESSOR STEWART DICK'S WORK STARTS OFF TODAY.

Property Owners Have to Give in Property List Before January 1st.

Today is the date that City Assessor Stewart Dick commences making the assessments of city property for municipal tax purpose, the state laws prescribing that he shall start this work the 15th of September and continue until the last day of the year. The valuations and assessments are for next year's taxes.

Under the laws governing second class cities, which includes Paducah, the property owners has to go to the city assessor's office and give in the valuations they desire to place upon their realty and personalty, and list all their holdings in this respect. If any owners of taxable goods does not appear at the office of Mr. Dick he then takes the assessment given in the preceding year and fixes it himself for the next year's taxes. In this manner property owners by failing to show up loses the benefit of any reductions that may be due him. Under the third class laws the assessor had to go out in person and visit every property owner of the city and get the assessments.

The assessor finishes valuing all the taxable property by the first of next January, at which time the city board of supervisors convenes and then decide whether the assessments made were too high or too low, and make alterations justifying the demands.

WILL GO INTO RETREAT

Episcopalian Clergymen and Laymen to Live a Communal Life.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—Nearly 1,000 Episcopalians—clergymen and laymen—will next week go into a "retreat" from the world and will for four days lead a communal life in Chicago, much like that of monks in a cloister. The "retreat" will be the tower group of buildings at the University of Chicago. The participants will be the delegates to the twentieth annual convention of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. This great fraternal fraternity numbers 18,000 members.

The idea of the "retreat" will be carried out consistently during the four days the delegates will be in charge. They will not necessarily be cut off from the world, but those who wish may live so as to see no one except members of the brotherhood from Wednesday to Sunday evening. The university authorities have re-furnished many of the tower group apartments with almost monastic simplicity. Women who accompany their husbands or brothers to the convention will have a taste of the monastic life.

For feminine use one of the "co-ed" dormitories has been set aside. The purpose of this modern "retreat," as explained by officials of the brotherhood, is to intensify the feeling of universal brotherhood. John H. Smale, secretary of the Chicago assembly, is receiving an unprecedented number of applications from delegates all over the country. It is expected there will be members of the brotherhood present from China, Hawaii and other distant lands.

The Sultan's Costly Dinner.

(Philadelphia Bulletin.)
The Sultan of Turkey's dinner costs him \$5,000 a day.

The table is of silver, and it is said to be the most exquisite specimen of the silversmith's art in the world.

The dishes are brought in upon the heads of juklakis, or cooks' assistants, and each dish is covered and sealed with the royal seal. There are always 50 or more dishes and all are set before the sultan at the same time. He eats usually from about six.

Though the sultan is himself a total abstainer, the finest vintage wines are always offered to such guests as dine at the palace.

Every dish the ruler partakes of is first tasted in the kitchen by the grand vizier, lest it be poisoned, and it is immediately thereafter that its sealing takes place. Always before he can fall to on a dish the sultan must break its seal.

It is not because he eats \$5,000 worth of food himself that the sultan's dinner bill is so expensive. He eats, as a matter of fact, no more than a half dollar's worth. But the guests and retainers who dine at his expense number daily several thousands.

A Difficult Task.

"How can I get the ladies of my congregation more interested in heaven?" sighed the earnest young rector of the fashionable church.

"You might hint that things will be very exclusive there," replied the old preacher, sadly, "By such means you may be able to arouse a mild interest."

The total number of men in the United States liable to military service is 11,126,750.

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We have just opened an up-to-date and well stocked hardware department for our establishment, and are carrying a mammoth stock recognized as one of the finest in the state. It includes

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THE RIVER NEWS

Stages Yesterday.

Cairo, 14.3; rising.
Chattanooga, 2.7; falling.
Cincinnati, 6.9; falling.
Evansville, 6.4; falling.
Florence, missing.
Johnsonville, 3.2; standing.
Louisville, 3.5; standing.
Mt. Carmel, 4.0; rising.
Nashville, 9.4; falling.
Pittsburg, 5.1; falling.
St. Louis, 12.1; falling.
St. Vernon, 6.0; falling.
Paducah, 6.0; standing.

Tomorrow afternoon at 5 o'clock there will get away for the Tennessee river the Kentucky, which arrived here yesterday morning from that stream.

The Henry-Harley came in yesterday from Evansville and left immediately on her return to that place. She comes in again tomorrow from that city.

The Joe Fowler is today's packet for the Evansville trade.

The Warren gets out for Cairo this morning in place of the Dick Fowler. She comes back tonight about 11 o'clock.

The Buttrif will get to Nashville tonight and lay there until noon tomorrow, when she comes back to this city, reaching Paducah Sunday.

Last evening the City of Salt Lake passed out of the Tennessee river bound for St. Louis. She reaches the Future Great Saturday and leaves there the following Monday on her return this way.

The City of Savannah is still laid up at St. Louis and the management does not know when they will send her out.

Captain Tim J. Lovell has gone to Nashville, Tenn., on business.

It is probable that the Dick Fowler will be taken to the ways at Mound City and pulled out for repairs while she is laying up during the low water.

The Pacific No. 2 is due up today bound for Louisville with a big tow of empty coal boats.

The towboat Harth returned yesterday from Caseyville with a tow of coal, and tying on to another cargo of this kind, went to Dycusburg.

The government dredgeboat Look-out has returned to the Tennessee river to work after getting supplies here.

Mr. E. L. Dorsey, of Louisville, arrived here yesterday and today takes up the cases of the first engineer and assistant engineer of the steamer Kentucky, their licenses having been revoked for a period of several months, by Inspectors Green and McDonald, of Nashville. One of the latter on boarding the Kentucky up the Tennessee river found the engineer and assistant carrying 200 pounds of steam in running the boat. This being much in excess of the steam limit allowed that craft the Nashville inspector revoked the licenses of the engineer and assistant and made the boat owners put on

BIG GAMBLING ROW AT FRENCH LICK, IND.

Tom Taggart Leases the Gambling Privileges for \$20,000 a Year.

Bedford, Ind., Sept. 14.—A new \$500,000 hotel building is to be erected at French Lick that will rival Taggart's famous hostelry. The new hotel is to be erected by Al Brown, who until recently controlled the gambling privileges at French Lick.

Brown and Taggart had a disagreement over the concession a few weeks ago, and Taggart caused the light, heat and water to be shut off in the Casino, where Brown held forth. For a time things looked squally for the democratic boss, and he finally capitulated by paying Brown \$34,000 for the surrender of a two-years' lease. Taggart immediately released the gambling privileges to Indianapolis parties for \$52,000 annually, \$30,000 more than Brown was paying under the terms of his lease.

The temporary cessation of gambling at the Hoosier Monte Carlo led many to believe that Gov. Hanly had taken a hand and ordered his celebrated "muzzling" ed on, but this erroneous impression was dispelled when a true insight of affairs at French Lick was given the public.

Brown, in a spirit of retaliation, purchased the old Ryan hotel property and employed Architect W. H. Floyd, of Terre Haute, to prepare plans for a new hotel to cost \$500,000, furnishings not included. The building is to be a five-story brick, with stone trimmings, 200x150x150.

MANY TICKETS STOLEN.

How Interborough "Choppers" Managed to Rob Company.

New York, Sept. 14.—Employees of the Interborough company, it was announced yesterday in a local police court, have been robbing the company of \$10,000 a month. The thefts have been confined to "L" tickets and were effected by a partnership of sellers and choppers.

Detectives of the company discovered that the inside of the glass compartment of the chopping boxes would be made wet, and the tickets which stuck were taken out by means of a steel rod with chewing gum fastened to its end. The extracted tickets were then disposed of through the ticket sellers. Two of the detectives allege that they caught Joseph Temperman, a ticket chopper, in the act of removing the tickets in this fashion. He was arrested and held for examination.

the engine a lock valve that will not let more steam be carried than is allowed. The engineer and assistant appealed the revocation of their licenses to Mr. Dorsey, who is the supervising inspector for this district, and he comes down to hear their cases and decide whether to sustain the Nashville inspectors or set aside their revocation order. Green and McDonald also came yesterday to be present at the hearing which comes up today, as the Kentucky gets out of the Tennessee river early this morning.

STRONGLY SCORED FOR HIS DISHONEST TRICK.

French Journalist Who Wrote Fake Interview Crediting Declarations to President.

Oyster Bay, Sept. 14.—President Roosevelt has denounced as a fabrication and as wholly without foundation in truth the report of an interview with him regarding the terms of peace between Russia and Japan published today in the Petit Parisien, of Paris, and cabled to America and published here this morning.

As soon as the purported interview was called to his attention, the president directed Secretary Loeb to send to the correspondent of the Petit Parisien, who was received at Sagamore Hill, the following telegram:

Oyster Bay, N. Y., Sept. 13, 1905.—Gaston Richard, Hotel La Fayette, New York, N. Y.—The president directs me to say to you that the alleged interview with him published in this morning's papers is not only an absolute fabrication, wholly without basis of truth, but that your conduct in obtaining permission to see him under false pretenses is thoroughly dishonorable. When you came to see the president you informed him that you were the grandson of Marshal Augereau; that you had been at the battle of Mukden with the Russian army, and with the Japanese army, afterward; that you understood thoroughly that you could have no interview of any kind, and that you simply wished to pay a respect to him. Under these circumstances the president received you and listened to your account of your experiences with the Japanese and Russians and spoke to you also of the deeds of Marshal Augereau and of Napoleon's other generals. The president had no conversation with you about the terms of peace, and your account of your alleged interview with him is a fabrication from beginning to end, without any foundation in fact; and both your untruthfulness, and your obtaining permission to see him under false pretenses the president considers highly dishonorable.

(Signed) WM. LOEB, JR., Secretary.

New York, Sept. 13.—Gaston Richard, correspondent of the Petit Parisien, sailed for Europe today.

LEVIES PROHIBITION TARIFF.

Argentina Staggered American Manufacturers by Sudden Move.

New York, Sept. 14.—Cablegrams from Argentina were received yesterday by the leading exporters in New York, saying that the government had given notice that it was to levy a prohibitive tariff tomorrow on all parts of agricultural and industrial machinery used in repairing and calling on American manufacturers to ask the American government to intervene. The wires were kept hot all yesterday afternoon between New York and other chief cities, and by midnight arrangements had been completed to lay the matter before the secretary of state today.

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GREAT HOPES

COMMITTEE FEELS GREATLY ENCOURAGED REGARDING COLLEGE.

In Two Weeks the Sneed Estate Trustees Hold Their Meeting at Lexington.

A full meeting was held yesterday afternoon at the office of Charles Wheeler, on the top floor of the Fraternity building, by the committee that has charge of locating here, if possible, the Methodist college to be built out of the funds left by the late Mrs. Sneed, of Louisville, who gave her estate to the Louisville conference of the Methodist church, and the trustees to which estate now have on hand enough money to put up three collegiate institutions over this state, one in the Eastern end, another in Central Kentucky and the third in Western Kentucky. Every member of the committee was on hand yesterday and they had a most interesting session, as several hours were spent discussing matters and making reports on what they had accomplished in their respective fields. It was offered the trustees for construction of the college for this end of the commonwealth.

The committee is not yet in position to explain to the public in detail what they have done in connection with the site, as they want their options closed and everything completed in this regard before any publicity is given their movements. They do not believe in stating they are doing this thing and that thing until negotiations are closed. One thing they give out, however, is that nothing could possibly be more encouraging for getting a most excellent site, and that this site thus far has the best chance possible for procuring of the establishment.

Along with their site work they are framing up the propositions they will submit to the public when there is started the canvass for subscriptions to the fund out of which the site is to be paid for.

The trustees of the Sneed estate meet at Lexington two weeks from today and select the committees that are to go to the different cities bidding for the colleges and have laid before them the sites and what other propositions are being put forward as inducements for location of the institution at the respective points.

MERGER MEANS PROGRESS.

Development of Service Would Follow Combination.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 14.—Frederick S. Dickson, president of the Federal Telephone company, which controls the most extensive independent telephone system in the country, stated today that the merger of interests would be followed by a rapid development of the service throughout the East and Central West. Mr. Dickson said that new lines from Pittsburgh to Philadelphia and Baltimore will soon be placed in operation, and from Cleveland to Albany, N. Y., via Buffalo, Rochester and Syracuse. Ultimately it is the purpose of this independent people to connect their lines with New York City. Efforts are now being made to secure a franchise in the city of New York for an independent telephone company.

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FELL FROM BRIDGE

ANOTHER WRECKER INJURED AT OLD TENNESSEE RIVER I. C. CROSSING.

Significant Work Being Pushed on the Hopkinsville Road—More Big Engines Ordered.

Yesterday afternoon at 4 o'clock Mr. J. H. O'Donald was brought here from Gilbertsville, up the Louisville division of the Illinois Central railroad, where he has been helping tear away the old bridge spanning the Tennessee river at that point. He has a broken right arm and is painfully bruised over his body, but not injured internally. He fell from the high bridge while working thereon.

There is a large crew of laborers gradually tearing down the old bridge, now that the new structure is completed and put into use. Mr. O'Donald was pulling at a piece of the bridge, trying to tear it away, when he lost his balance and fell into the stream that is about forty feet deep. In his descent he grabbed at the side of the bridge and broke his arm, while his body was badly bruised. He was fished out of the river by the skiffman who is stationed under the bridge for this purpose, so many accidents having happened recently by people falling, that the contractors tearing down the structure deem it advisable to keep the boatman under the bridge in his boat so he can immediately go to the rescue of anyone falling into the water.

It is reported that on account of the frequency of these accidents that it is a hard matter to get workmen to help tear down the structure and that it would not be surprising if any day those there did not pick up in a body and leave, as the undertaking is a most dangerous one and results in accidents every day or two.

Pushing Improvement.

The Illinois Central has doubled its forces in making the improvement on the Ohio Valley division that runs from Hopkinsville to Evansville, and this to extend further confirms the reliable rumors afloat that the I. C. has leased the Tennessee Central for a term of years. The Ohio Valley is being regraded and regaveled all the way between these two points, and the road has started working forces day and night, while heretofore only day crews have been laboring.

Big Engines Ordered.

Word has been received by the authorities of the road here that those in charge at Chicago have ordered twenty-five more of the big 800 class of freight engines for the Louisville division, and that they will be here just as quick as the American Locomotive company can turn them out. They are the strongest class of engine made and capable of pulling 40 loaded gravel cars. The heavy traffic around this section makes these engines necessary.

Can Save Foot.

Chief Surgeon Murrell, of the railroad hospital, is of the opinion that he can save the injured foot of Engineer J. T. Armstrong, who was so badly hurt at the Obion, Tenn., wreck last week. The pedal extremity is mashed fearfully where the engineer got caught under the debris, and for a while it looked as if amputation would be necessary, but the foot is now healing and the knife will not be resorted to. The surgeon states conclusively now that Armstrong is not injured internally as it was at first feared.

Went on Home.

Fireman Stevenson, of Memphis, went on to the Bluff city after giving his evidence at the investigation held at Fulton to look into the wreck and its cause. He was among the slightly injured and left the railroad hospital here Monday to give his testimony at Fulton. His condition being improved so he was permitted to go home from that place.

The investigation has not yet been completed.

Hospital Improvements.

Chief Surgeon Murrell several days ago had a talk with Harry McCourt, superintendent of Southern lines, when that official was in the city, and the latter agreed to come here about next week to be present at the opening of the bids placed in by contractors for the railroad hospital improvements. Mr. McCourt is

SHELL EXPLODED

MR. WILL ESTES PAINFULLY HURT WHILE HUNTING YESTERDAY.

Cataract Removed Yesterday From Right Eye of Mr. C. E. Compton, of Bay City, Ill.

Mr. William Estes, of the Broken Heart restaurant is suffering from painful injuries upon the right side of his face and in his eye, caused by an accident yesterday while out hunting doves near the Potter farm several miles west of the city.

Mr. Estes was out with "pop-gun" and while firing at some doves the shell in the fire arm exploded while he had it up near his face and this sent powder into his cheek and eye. One speck of the powder lodged in the pupil of his eye, while the others dotted around on the lid and cheek. They were removed by a specialist who does not think the sight will be impaired any by the mishap.

Totally Blind Man.

Mr. C. E. Compton, a totally blind man, of Bay City, Ill., was brought here and yesterday operated on by one of the local oculists for blindness which had overcome him through cataracts forming over the pupil of his eye.

Mr. Compton is interested in some mineral lands and farms over in that portion of southern Illinois. Six years ago he went blind in the right eye on account of the growth, while only two months ago a similar cataract caused him to lose his left eye. On being brought here, that covering the right eye was removed yesterday, and he is doing well, while the specialist does not deem it advisable to undertake removal of that over the eye for a month or so yet as it is not what is known as "ripe" or ready for operation on.

Other Ailing Parties.

Stationman Williams Haffey, of Central fire department on North Fourth street, has resumed work at the building after laying off several days on account of illness.

Mr. Bell Gardner is confined with illness at the residence of his father, Mr. James Gardner, out near Eden's Hill. He has malarial fever.

Others Injured.

Mr. Gip Husbands is suffering from a bruised head, caused by falling from the loft of a barn on his farm near town, while he was tearing away some barn rafters. He stepped on a rotten one and plunged through to the ground 20 feet below and was knocked partially unconscious. He is able to be in town.

Special Agent B. B. Lima, of the N. C. & St. L. railroad, is improving from his illness at their home on Fifth and Madison.

Wm. Taylor has a painful wound on his scalp, caused by a piece of wood flying off the saw and striking him yesterday at the Sowell mill in Mechanicsburg.

Dr. Robert Rivers is suffering from a fractured wrist bone, cause by falling while trying to fix something in his toilet room, and striking his arm on the bath tub.

TO ARRANGE ARMISTICE.

Japanese and Russian Generals Meet on Field.

Mukden, Sept. 14.—Gen. Fukushima, representing Field Marshal Oyama, and Gen. Ovanovski, representing Gen. Linevitch, met at Shaboth Station, north of Shantung at 10 o'clock yesterday morning to arrange an armistice. They probably will take several days to arrange the details.

A blunder resulted in a sweeping victory at the battle of Minden, August 1, 1759. Ten battalions of British troops, mistaking the order "at sound of drum" for "by sound of drum," suddenly charged and overthrew three divisions of French cavalry—a feat unparalleled in all warfare.

Alfred Towns, of Silverton, Ore., returned the other day from a trip into the hills and told his brother, Robert, that he had shot two deer. Robert is a game warden and at once arrested Alfred for shooting without a license, and Alfred served five days in jail.

one of the committee, and if the bills are equitable the work will be started off right away.

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LAY NEW RAILS

THE STREET RAILWAY COMPANY SHORTLY STARTS ON AVENUE.

New Motors Are Working Excellent—ly Aboard Cars—Nothing Done With Muffling Order.

Next week the street car company will commence laying the new improved rails they are to put on Kentucky avenue from Second to Fourth street while that thoroughfare is being reconstructed. The old tracks have been taken up and thrown away, they being practically of no value whatever. They have lain there for years, but seldom put to any use except to side track the cinder cars, and others on so as to get them off the main line. The work of putting down the new rails will go forward right ahead of the paved street work.

The new motors ordered by the car company some weeks ago, and which were put in position on arriving here, are working satisfactorily and have to an extent reduced the noise and clatter made by the cars as they are rapidly passing through the public streets.

The noise was so great a few months ago that the city authorities ordered to be adopted an ordinance compelling the car company to muffle their cars so the unearthly racket could be obviated as much as possible. In pursuing this course the authorities wrote to several surrounding cities for copies of the ordinances of this nature prevailing there. Some duplicates were received, but finally the question of muffles died the natural death, as a host of other questions do.

DISCOVERY MADE BY SCIENTIST.

Producing Life By Artificial Methods—California Professor.

Chicago, Sept. 14.—A dispatch to the Tribune from San Francisco says: Prof. Jacques Loeb of the University of California has just made public another step in his work of producing life by artificial methods. He has found a reason for the appearance of the fertilization membrane which appears around the sea urchin and starfish eggs after they have been penetrated by the active element.

He announced that fertilization of the eggs is accomplished by the active elements driving out some substance in the eggs which prevents fertilization. Prof. Loeb found that the membrane is the result of extension of substance from the egg which lifts it up from the surface. This makes up the fluid lying between the egg and the membrane and appears to contain substance which, when in the egg, prevents its development. It follows that any chemical which drives out these substances will release the vital mechanism and produce the artificial life.

TO RISE AGAINST GERMANS.

Alleged Conspiracy in Shantung Revealed by Tien Tsin Papers.

Victoria B. C., Sept. 14.—Tien Tsin newspapers publish news of a widespread conspiracy in Shantung to rise against the Germans on September 16. L'Impartial says that each family is to provide one fighting man whose equipment will be paid for by subscription. Several thousand men are said to be ready for the rising. The Universal Gazette, a vernacular paper, calls upon the Chinese government to stop the movement.

A firm of Baltimore architects has drawn plans for a building without any wood in its construction. It will be six stories in height, the entire structure to be of reinforced concrete and steel. Even the doors, window sashes and door jams will be of metal.

VERDICT FOR \$350

(Concluded From Page One.)

city prison.

Later in June the judgments were set aside by Judge Sanders on the promise of his mother to take him away from Paducah.

On July 8, 1904, Elden Stone sued the city of Paducah for \$10,000 for working him on the chain gang; Mark Worten his attorney; case still on docket.

In the summer of 1904 Elden Stone was indicted three times by Crittenden county grand jury for injuring and destroying cattle, killing cattle and destroying and disfiguring property not his own. He was arrested, tried and found guilty.

On July 7, 1904, Sam Stone through Mark Worten, brought an ex parte suit, with the city as defendant, to test the question of working city prisoners on the streets. On November 23, Judge Reed decided in favor of the city, and on April 20, 1905, the court of appeals practically sustained the lower court.

On November 25, 1904, Sam Stone, through Mark Worten, brought a suit against James Collins, chief of police, for \$5,000, against Joe Woods, captain of police, for \$5,000 and John D. Austin, patrol wagon driver, for \$5,000, making \$15,000, for false arrest. When the case came to trial and the jury made up, Worten dismissed the suit.

On December 27, 1904, Sam Stone, with Mark Worten as his attorney, brought suit in the McCracken circuit court against John M. Melan, former editor of the News-Democrat, for \$5,000 for alleged libel. Case to be tried.

On March 17, 1905, Sam Stone, through Mark Worten as attorney, sued The Register and James E. Wilhelm in the Livingston circuit court for \$10,000 for alleged libel. On April 22, 1905, the jury returned a verdict in favor of the newspaper and its editor.

On March 24, 1905, in the McCracken circuit court Sam Stone was sued for a divorce by his wife, Mrs. Ida Stone, who in her petition alleged that for the three years past Sam Stone behaved towards her in a cruel and inhuman manner, cursed and abused her, beat and otherwise mistreated the children, and on occasions, deserted her, and that she finds it intolerable to longer live with him. This suit was dismissed by the plaintiff.

On June 19, 1905, Elden Stone, with Mark Worten as attorney, brought suit against the city of Paducah in the United States district court for \$10,000 for imprisoning him without due process, in default of the payment of \$23 fine and costs imposed for a breach of the peace. Case to be tried.

August 14, 1905, Elden Stone, with Mark Worten as attorney, sued The Register Newspaper company in the Livingston circuit court for \$5,000 for alleged libel. On September 14, jury awarded the plaintiff \$350 damages. The case will be appealed.

On August 29, 1905, Sam Stone, through Mark Worten as attorney, sued the News-Democrat, in McCracken circuit court for \$5,000 for alleged libel. Case to be tried.

The sums sued for by the Stones in a year's time amount to \$60,000, out of which as yet they have not gotten a cent and perhaps never will. On five criminal charges against Elden Stone he was found guilty, with a divorce suit and ex parte suit thrown in.

Fraudulent naturalization is under investigation by the San Francisco United States grand jury. A sailor has confessed that he received citizenship papers upon payment of \$15.

A log raft 735 feet long, 65 feet wide and 28 feet deep and containing 10,000,000 feet of lumber was towed into San Francisco bay recently. It was five and one-half days from the Columbia river.

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Press On Current Events

How One Vice President Succeeded.

(Saturday Evening Post.)

After the inauguration Mr. Tyler had returned from Washington to Williamsburg. His life at his home was most unpretentious. There were no railroads, and it required several days to travel from Washington to Williamsburg. The turmoil of the capital was unknown and almost unheard of in the primitive community of Williamsburg, and one bright April afternoon Mr. Tyler, who delighted in the companionship of his boys, was engaged with them in a game of marbles in a pathway leading to his home. The spot, several times pointed out to me by Mr. Peachy, is not far from the site of the old revolutionary powder magazine. Peachy, who was a young lawyer, with residence and office not far distant, had been attracted to the scene of the game by the hilarity of Mr. Tyler and his sons. They were playing the old-fashioned game of "knucks," and the infliction of the well known penalties made them all boisterous. Mr. Tyler had to take his punishment along with the others, and when it was his turn to put up the "knucks," the boys reveled in their opportunity. He had lost, and was actually down on his knees with knuckles on the ground, taking his medicine stoically amidst the shouts of the bystanders, when a stranger drove up and inquired for "the President."

Mr. Tyler arose and told him who he was, not appropriating to himself the title, assuming that it was applied to him by mistake. The stranger, without more ado, delivered his dispatches, which were in deep mourning and a moment later Mr. Tyler, after breaking the seals and reading, started and exclaimed in great distress: "My God, the president is dead."

It was the first intimation to anyone in Williamsburg that Gen. Harrison was even indisposed. The dispatch bearer had been sent on a chartered railroad direct from Washington to Yorktown, and thence had made his way by vehicle to Williamsburg. One may well imagine the different kinds of startling effects produced on the people by this announcement.

Japan Shames World's Christianity.

(Lexington, Ill., Democrat.)

In the great war between Russia and Japan, now ended by a treaty of peace, Japan by her generous and humane war methods and by her unparalleled self-effacement in her final terms to her overwhelmingly defeated foe, has shamed the Christian world. In war the Japanese soldiers treated the captured Russians as if they had been blood brethren rather than bloody-handed foes. In the great sea fights the Japanese sailors risked and lost their own lives often in trying to succor drowning Russians. And the Russian prisoners who fell into the hands of the Japanese had kinder treatment and better medical and surgical skill than their own camps and hospitals could have given them.

It was never that way in wars waged between Christian nations. Compare it with our own civil war of forty years ago, remembering the horrors of Andersonville and the companion horrors on the side of the affluent North in the prison pens of Chicago, Columbus and scores of other Northern prisons. How it shames, shames, shames our treatment of our blood-brothers North and South—we who proclaim our love for the forgiving, gentle and merciful Christ! What cruel barbarians we, compared with the "pagan" Nipponese! When we captured the great leader of the south we buried him in a horrid dungeon, weighted down with manacles and heaped upon him and his innocent, cultivated wife and children every indignity and insult our clever war lords could invent. When Japan's sailors captured Russia's greatest sea captain in her last crowning victory they carried him as gently as women might do to their sweetest white hospital, summoned to his aid her greatest surgeons and nursed him back to life from death's dark shadow as if his adored wife stood by to direct every act.

How it shames, shames, shames us all!

Not to be Duped Always.

(Baltimore Sun.)

There may be times, it is true, when the people seem to be blind to their own interests and follow leaders who are also blind to the interests of the public. Hence it has been contended that with sufficient adroit leadership the majority of the people may always be duped; that they may be led to believe the

grafter and monopolist and other corrupt elements are either not so bad as they are painted, or, if corrupt and grasping, are too strongly entrenched to be attacked with success. They may for a time be convinced that governments—national, state and municipal—have spared no efforts to enforce the law and to punish wrong-doers. But that the people cynically consent to evil-doing in high places, on the ground that men who have opportunities to enrich themselves are justified in engaging in unlawful or dishonest practices, is incredible. They may be deceived time and again into palliating wrong; they will not deliberately approve it when they understand what it means.

Not Inclined to Buddhism.

(New York Evening Post.)

After a thousand years of indifference, without having made any serious effort to propagate its doctrines, Buddhism is beginning to show a missionary spirit. In Asia the opinion is prevalent that Europe and America are losing faith in the Christianity which their missionaries proclaim. It is hardly possible, however, that any considerable percentage of those who have given up Christianity (no matter from what motives) are prepared to adopt the ideas of the Buddha. As Buddhism has had, it is true, a potent attraction for an element of mankind, and men are often led to embrace a religion by causes which lie psychologically deeper than clear insight and cogent reasoning. But we see no signs in the incident that men are ready to seek "the path" and to meditate on the evil of existence and the relief of Nirvana. And, so far as the law of righteousness is concerned, we fear that if they find darkness in Moses and the prophet they will not be persuaded to turn their eyes toward the light of Asa.

Frog Cure for Typhoid Fever.

(Newton Cor. Charlotte News.)

Your correspondent, like other people, lives and learns. He discovered yesterday that a toad applied to the foot of a fever patient, and kept there, would certainly cure the patient. It may be that the same is a well-known remedy, known of old, but it is new here. A young man in this county has been very low with typhoid fever for several weeks, so ill in fact that the physicians gave him up to die. Another young man once suffered with typhoid and took the frog treatment and was cured, and so the treatment was applied to the patient mentioned, with gratifying results. The young man is reported as convalescing. The toads, the story runneth, turn green and die, having drawn all the fever from the patient. It seems to be an excellent remedy, but it is tough on the frog.

Equality Between the Sexes.

(San Francisco Call.)

The progress toward perfect equality for women is more rapid than appears on the surface. The ladies, bless 'em, are no longer standing back in anything. They are in all lines of industry, competing with the tyrant man, and the university professors and sociologists are beginning to take notice and butchers and bakers and candle-stick makers are on the run. Man has no sure grip on the monopoly of anything any more. He dare not let go to spit on his hands, lest his place be taken by sister woman and he lose his job. Herebefore the trousered tyrant has had burglary and stage-robbing to himself, but now he is in danger of losing both. It is announced from Oakland that a "lady" burglar is operating in that town.

An Illinois Miser.

(Ava, Ill., Dispatch.)

Alexander Ferguson, one of the wealthiest men in Jackson county, died here, aged about 85 years. Ferguson was a typical miser and a unique character. Although worth thousands of dollars he lived in poverty. He made his own clothes and did his own laundry work. His trousers were generally made of cotton grain sacks. His history is unknown. He made his appearance in Ava about thirty years ago and followed the carpenter trade. By living a frugal life he amassed a fortune and at the time of his death he was estimated to be worth \$100,000. He lived alone in an old hut and had no associates. Several years ago he invested his money in government bonds to avoid paying taxes. These bonds are deposited with several St. Louis banks.

A distinguished scientist estimates the age of the world at about \$500,000,000 years.

THE PURCHASE

WORK BEGUN ON PROPOSED
CAIRO AND TENNESSEE
RIVER RAILROAD.

Several More Tobacco Barns Destroyed by Fire—Personal Accidents, etc.

(Mayfield Monitor, 13th.)

The wife of Mr. Ems Wray died at her home near Mt. Pleasant Thursday and was buried at the Mt. Pleasant cemetery Friday. She leaves a husband and three children and a host of friends.

Mr. Ed Pitman, of near Lynnvill, had the misfortune to have one of his fingers torn off and one broken Thursday. While hitching his horse, the horse ran back and hit his fingers against a paling fence.

Miss Rowena Crabtree received a very thrilling fall yesterday between 4 and 5 o'clock, and as a result lies at her home badly bruised in several places. Miss Rowena fills a position with the Crossley studio, and started down the long flight of steps that lead from the studio. Upon reaching the third step from the top her heel caught and she fell headlong down the stairway, a distance of about twenty-five steps.

Wednesday morning Mr. H. C. Neale received a telephone message from Mr. Delano, the manager of the new road, informing him that the first contract for construction on the proposed Cairo and Tennessee River railroad, was let Tuesday to the Sullivan Construction company of Wickliffe, and today a large crew of men are at work clearing off the right of way. This first section of course extends out of Wickliffe. Other contracts will be let immediately all along the route.

Bill Slayden lies at his home east of town in a very serious condition physically, as the result of a difficulty in which he engaged late Monday afternoon with John T. Cope. These two gentlemen live not a great distance apart, but for some time have been at outs with each other. Monday, Mr. Slayden came to town, and when he started for home he was slightly under the influence of liquor. When he came to Cope's house he stopped his wagon, and Cope claims began hurling vile names toward him. This incensed Cope, and he hastened out, climbed into the wagon and assaulted Slayden in a terrific manner with both fists and feet. Slayden became unconscious and when carried to his home was in a very serious condition, and remains so till yet.

(Murray Ledger, 13th.)

Plenty Paris, one of our substantial farmers, east of town, lost a barn of tobacco last Thursday night while curing, as we understand the facts. The barn was shedded and contained his entire crop.

A tobacco barn on the Bert Robinson farm burned Wednesday evening. There were 900 sticks of tobacco in the barn which was the property of Mr. Bud Key. The loss will amount to a large sum to Mr. Key as the tobacco burned was the best part of his crop.

Barkley Swann happened to the misfortune of breaking his leg near the ankle, last Tuesday. He had driven out west of town with E. H. Haley, to Mr. Haley's farm, and as he went to step from the buggy the horses started suddenly, throwing him to the ground with the above results.

Last Saturday was a big day at Cole's camp ground. More than one thousand of the old campers and their friends met and made the day one to be remembered. These grand old people, the very salt of the earth, bowed down with age and full of ripe Christian experience, made the day glorious in reminiscences of men, women and events of years ago in the days of Uncle Caleb Cole, for whom the camp ground was named.

(Mayfield Messenger, 13th.)

Mr. L. P. Dewese, of Kirbyton, is seriously ill with fever at the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. Sanderson, one mile west of the city.

A family reunion was held at the home of Jim B. Thompson, at Folsomdale on the 3rd. All of his children, grand children and a large number of relatives and friends were present.

Reduced Rates, Lexington, Ky. On account of the State Fair at Lexington, Ky., the Illinois Central Railroad company will sell tickets from Paducah to Lexington and return, September 17th to 23rd inclusive, for \$9.35, good returning until September 24th.

On account of Kentucky conference, M. E. Church, Lexington, Ky., tickets will be sold September 27th, and 28th, with return limit October 3rd, for \$12.15 for the round trip.

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When Beveridge Laughed.

(Success.)

"The direction of my career was completely changed," says United States Senator Albert J. Beveridge to the writer, "by a careless laugh. When I was a youth in Illinois, I heard that the congressman from our district intended to hold an examination to determine what young man he should appoint to West Point. I pitched in and studied hard for that examination, and I found it easy when I came to take it. Most of the other fellows seemed to be still struggling with it when I had finished. I was so confident that I had made no mistakes that I was a pretty cheerful frame of mind. This is why I laughed when one of the strugglers asked a rather foolish question of the professor in charge. The latter evidently felt that the dignity of the occasion had been trifled with, for he scored 1 per cent. against me. When the papers came to be corrected this loss caused me to fall one-fifth of one per cent. below the boy who stood highest on the list. He is a captain in the army now, where I suppose I should be had it not been for that laugh. I believe in the power of cheerfulness. Looking back, I am rather glad that I laughed."

Heat That Isn't Hot.

(Country Calendar.)

It has been my fortune to visit some of the hottest places in America at the hottest period of the year, and the reader may be incredulous when I say that I have been vastly more uncomfortable in Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Baltimore or Washington in summer than I have at Yuma or in the heart of the Mojave, California or Apache desert, or any of the great pseudo-summer deserts that reach away in a general line from Yuma to San Antonio, Tex. I recall entering a restaurant at Indian, on the edge of the Mojave, when the heat called to mind proximity to a furnace. I suggested to a citizen that it was hot. "No," he replied; "yesterday it was hot; it was 120 degrees in the shade; today it is only 115 degrees;" yet I have been more uncomfortable in Boston with the thermometer at 90 degrees. In Boston the heat was humid; one perspired. At Indian or on the desert the heat was absolutely dry, and at night the chances were that a blanket might be required, nature giving one an opportunity to recuperate, which is not always the case in the great cities.

American Women as Teachers.

(Boston Transcript.)

Four-fifths of the teachers in the United States, according to a recent census bulletin, are women and there are more teachers in this country than there are clergymen, lawyers and physicians together. In the proportion of women teachers to the whole number of teachers employed the United States leads the world, although in nearly every civilized country the greater part of the teaching is done by women. This is in line with the general tendency toward the advancement of women to a better place in this country. In 1890 the number of women in paying positions in this country was 3,914,571, and in 1900 this number had increased to 5,329,807. However, the number of men in paying positions has also increased in the same time, it must not be accepted as certain that women are going to crowd men out of positions in intellectual employment altogether.

Excursion to Philadelphia.

On account of the Patriarchs Militant and Sovereign Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., the Illinois Central Railroad company will, on September 13, 14 and 15 sell first-class tickets from Paducah to Philadelphia, Pa., and return for \$23.25. Tickets good only for continuous passage in each direction and must be deposited with the joint agent in Philadelphia immediately upon arrival and will be good on the return trip not earlier than September 16, nor later than September 25th. An extension of limit until October 5th may be obtained upon payment of a fee of \$1.00. For further particulars apply to J. T. Donovan, Agt., Paducah, Ky. G. C. Warfield, T. A., Union Depot.

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THE CARNIVAL

VOTE FOR POPULAR LADY IS CREATING VERY MUCH INTEREST.

The Charity Club Is to Have Control of the American Inn, This Being Settled.

With each day more young ladies are entered by their friends in the contest for the watch to be given by the Paducah Traveling Men's Carnival Association to the one receiving the largest number of votes between now and festival week, which commences September 25th and continues through until the 30th instant. The standing of the contestants when the vote was counted last night was as follows:

Miss Lillie May Winstead, Miss Ella Householder, Miss Myrtle Deck, Miss Blanche Hill, Miss Linnie Beards, Miss Frances Herndon, Miss Pearl Griffith, Miss Myrtle Hawkins, Miss Floyd Swift, Miss Mary G. Cummings, Miss Mary Lou Roberts, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, Miss Willie Ogilvie, Miss Eunice Latham, Miss Ollie Crandall, Miss Ella Hill, Miss Ruby Corbett, Miss Frances Terrell, Miss Monima Hopkins, Miss Jessie Bird, Miss Happy Newell, Miss Nanette Cullom, Miss Allie D. Foster, Miss May Owen, Miss Irene Benner, Miss Tina Brown, Miss Carrie Blythe, Miss Marjorie Scott, Miss Emma Mix, Miss Emma Nicholas, Miss Grace Trewalla, Miss Clara Bell Miller, Miss Zula Kanatz, Miss Cornie Grundy, Miss Mary Geagan.

All Arranged.

Yesterday a meeting between the Charity club members and representatives of the Traveling Men's association it was arranged completely that the ladies of that club should have supreme control of the American Inn that will be maintained during the entertainment week after next. They are to get fifty per cent of the proceeds for looking after things, the carnival promoters to turn in everything.

The Charity club ladies are now making out a list showing what married lady will be in charge of the Inn each day and by whom she will be assisted. Nothing whatever but soft drinks, such as soda water, lemonade, phosphates, etc., will be dispensed at the Inn, where also can be procured meals and lunches at small price.

Everything Booming.

Advance Agent Morris, of the Park Amusement company that furnishes attractions for the festival, confidedly laboring hard booming things and getting matters in shape for the entertainment. The country for miles around has been billed thoroughly and the hundreds of traveling men are putting in a good word everywhere, until now it is believed that the festival will be one of the most successful held in this city for years.

The carnival attractions will arrive here one week from next Sunday and be put in shape for opening the following day.

TALKED PLAINLY TO CONSULTING ENGINEERS

The President Wants Their Report Before Coming Congress Meets.

Washington, Sept. 14.—Upon the occasion of the recent visit of the members of the board of consulting engineers of the isthmian canal to Oyster Bay the president addressed to them a few remarks, which will be printed shortly and presented to the different members. After bidding them welcome he urged them to use all the speed they could safely make in coming to a conclusion as to the best plan for digging the canal, so that he might have ample time for studying the report before sending it to congress.

He did not express himself in favor of either a lock canal or a sea-level canal, and refrained from any technical observations, but urged the members to state their opinion without the slightest hesitation and to send him reports, not as he should like to get them, but as he ought to get them.

The members of the board have nearly all returned to Washington from New York and are engaged in an individual study of the question of the character of dam best suited, both in respect to climate and streams, for the isthmus. This work is to continue until Friday, when the board will meet and the papers which have been prepared by its members will be submitted and discussed. It is not expected that a conclusion will be reached on this subject until after the board has visited the isthmus and made an inspection of the various sites. For the present work the dam sites located on the official maps of the commission are accepted as the basis.

Real destitution is rarely seen in Japan. Though some of its inhabitants are very poor, yet all seem to be fairly well fed, clothed and housed, and are invariably cheerful. Nearly all Japanese are of cleanly habits and rarely untidy.

THEY ARE SICK

SEVERAL TEACHERS ARE KEPT FROM DUTY BY ILLNESS.

In Spite of These Interruptions Supt. Lieb Is Handling Matters With Skill.

Quite a number of teachers of the public schools were out yesterday on account of illness, but being equal to the emergency Supt. Lieb quickly had others in charge of the rooms, despite the fact that he has only one regular substitute, Miss Blanche Ingram.

Miss Emma Morgan was ill and could not teach the room of Prof. Sugg, who is at Madisonville recuperating from the effects of his recent long spell of fever. His building is the Franklin, and on Miss Morgan taking sick, Prof. Everett, of the Washington building, was put in charge of the Franklin, and his departmental work divided up so Misses Mary Grey Cummings and so Misses Acker could look after it during his absence.

Miss Margaret Acker, of the fourth grade at the Jefferson building, is ill with fever, and her place was filled by Miss Lucy Scott. Miss Scott is not a regularly elected substitute, but was procured by the superintendent who was empowered by the trustees last week to employ anyone he wanted for these places.

Miss Aubrey Taylor, of the McKinley building, is still ill and her room is being presided over by the only regular substitute, Miss Blanche Ingram. Miss Taylor took ill before school opened for the fall but is getting better.

Miss Lucy Moore, of the third grade at the Longfellow building, is also sick, and no more substitutes being available, Supt. Lieb got one of the High School pupils to take charge of the room. She is Miss Mabel C. Mitchell, and a very bright and apt young lady.

New Teacher Needed.

A new teacher will be elected by the trustees right away to take charge of the new room created at the Washington building. A young lady of the city will be recommended for the place by the committee and doubtless elected. Yesterday the superintendent moved his office effects to the trustees room, and desks were put in the quarters vacated and arrangements made for scholars to occupy it. In filling up the room Mr. Lieb will take the overflow in the first grade at the Washington building and also about ten from the first grade, B division, at the Jefferson building. There are 69 in this division at the latter place, and those of the overflow not carried out to the high school building will be put in another room at the Jefferson. Supt. Lieb does not intend permitting any teacher to have more than forty little pupils, because he holds proper instructions cannot be given when they go above that number. These changes in the first grade will not become effective until next Monday, when the new room at the Washington building will be opened and teacher placed in charge.

Filling Cellars.

The Bell-Union Coal company has commenced filling the basements of the different buildings around over the city in carrying out the contract awarded it of supplying the coal this winter to the schools. As fast as the coal comes in from the railroad it is carried and distributed among the school houses so as to have plenty on hand when cold weather comes and demands use of the heating furnaces. The schools generally burn about 18,000 bushels of fuel each winter.

Not Yet Arranged.

The superintendent and teachers have all been so busy that they did not have time this week to arrange for the meeting to be held with Mr. Lieb by the committee of teachers for purpose of outlining the literary course of study to be pursued this term by the teachers. The latter have not yet set the date for their first meeting, which will probably be the first Saturday of next month.

School Attendance.

Supt. Lieb will this afternoon be in position to know just exactly what the attendance of the opening week has been, as at that time he will receive reports from the principals of each building, showing the exact number of children in every room each day. The enrollment has been very good thus far.

KOMURA RESTING QUIETLY

New York, Sept. 14.—Baron Komura, the Japanese envoy who is ill at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel, was resting quietly today, without apparent change of condition since last evening.

OPERATIONS AVOIDED

Two Grateful Letters from Women Who Avoided Serious Operations.—Many Women Suffering from Like Conditions Will Be Interested.



When a physician tells a woman, suffering from ovarian or womb trouble, that an operation is necessary it, of course, frightens her. The very thought of the operating table and the knife strikes terror to her heart. As one woman expressed it, when told by her physician that she must undergo an operation, she felt that her death knell had sounded. Our hospitals are full of women who are there for ovarian or womb operations!

It is quite true that these troubles may reach a stage where an operation is the only resource, but such cases are much rarer than is generally supposed, because a great many women have been cured by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound after the doctors had said an operation must be performed. In fact, up to the point where the knife must be used to secure instant relief, this medicine is certain to help. The strongest and most grateful statements possible to make come from women who, by taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, have escaped serious operations.

Margrite Ryan, Treasurer of St. Andrew's Society, Hotel Engle, Indianapolis, Ind., writes of her cure as follows: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—I cannot find words to express my thanks for the good Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound did me. The doctor said I could not get well unless I had an operation for ovarian and female troubles. I knew I could not stand the strain of an operation and made up my mind I would be an invalid for life. Ask Mrs. Pinkham's Advice—A Woman Best Understands a Woman's Ills."

Hearing how Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound had saved other women from serious operations I decided to try it, and in less than four months I was entirely cured; and words fail to express my thankfulness."

Miss Margaret Merkle of 275 3d Street, Milwaukee, Wis., writes: "Dear Mrs. Pinkham:—Loss of strength, extreme nervousness, severe shooting pains through the pelvic organs, cramps, bearing down pains, and extreme irritation compelled me to seek medical advice. The doctor, after making an examination, said that I had ovarian trouble and ulceration, and advised an operation as my only hope. To this I strongly objected—and I decided as a last resort to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. To my surprise the ulceration healed, all the bad symptoms disappeared, and I am once more strong, vigorous and well; and I cannot express my thanks for what it has done for me."

Ovarian and womb troubles are steadily on the increase among women—and before submitting to an operation every woman should try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and write Mrs. Pinkham at Lynn, Mass. for advice.

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ABOUT SANITATION

A NUMBER OF NON-OBSERVERS FINED IN POLICE COURT.

Sardis Hart Was Held to the Grand Jury on Charge of Shooting at Another.

In the police court yesterday morning a batch of about twenty people were arraigned on the charge of not cleaning up their premises and outhouses when notified so to do by the sanitary inspectors while the latter are getting the city in good condition. Some of those warranted were fined, while others were dismissed, and still others given continuances.

A. H. Shamwell was fined \$10 and costs and E. B. Cox was fined \$1 and cost for being drunk and disorderly. They were arrested for trying to take possession of the Hotel Lagomarsino bar room in general and Bartender Morrison Hirschfeld in particular Wednesday night.

A continuance until today was granted John Griffin, charged with a breach of the peace.

The disorderly conduct case against John Carroll was continued until today. He is accused of abusing and mistreating his wife.

Until today was postponed the case charging J. F. Nicholson with embezzling \$2 from the Southern Mutual Investment company. Nicholson was an agent for the company and claims they owed him \$12, so he kept \$2 he collected for the company. He says he did not try to embezzle, but only wanted his money he could not get regularly.

John Given was fined \$5 for assaulting another.

Sardis Hart was held to the grand jury in \$300 bond for shooting at another. He shot at John Givens, colored, during a crap game Saturday night at Ninth and Boyd streets, and in return for the firing got a severe beating, with the butt end of a gun, that made his face into mince meat.

The usual number of tourists have been killed in the Alps this season hunting edelweiss, although anyone could "raise edelweiss in his backyard," as a horticulturist remarked the other day.

THIEVES AND CRIMINALS

SPIRITS IN DISTURBANCES Destruction of Churches Not Considered an Anti-Foreign Demonstration.

Tokio, Sept. 14.—Foreign residents of Tokio agree that the injury done by mobs to Christian churches in this city during the recent riots and the destruction of the residence of Mr. Bergstrom, an American missionary, cannot be interpreted as a sign of widespread anti-foreign and anti-Christian agitation.

The work of the mobs when aimed at the churches was local and spasmodic and was mostly confined to districts where the influence of Buddhists is strong. There were also manifestations of hatred for Christians in quarters inhabited by abandoned women, where revenge was sought for the active rescue work of the Salvation army. Furthermore, the moving spirits in the attacks were thieves and other criminals who saw in the confusion in the city an opportunity to secure booty. In some districts intemperate remarks and actions by Christian propagandists had aroused the enmity of individuals who incited hostile action by street mobs.

The city feels a deep sense of relief now that martial law is in operation. There is believed to be on occasion for further anxiety. Of the 228 police boxes in Tokio, 145 were burned or otherwise destroyed during the rioting. In the main, the destruction of churches was involved in the general trouble. The police are to be subjected to a searching examination for their failure to give better protection to this class of property.

Leading factors in the riotous attacks aimed at the government are held to be disappointed brokers in stocks and self-styled patriots who wished to add point to sensational publication in certain newspapers of the city. The political parties do not seem to have had any part in the disturbances.

A meeting which was to have been held in Osaka Sunday to protest against the peace treaty was prohibited. On Sunday publication of the Tokio Ashai was suspended by orders of the government.

Statistics just compiled at the Missouri state university show that fully 90 per cent. of all its students are dependent on their own resources, and that nearly 25 per cent. work daily for their own expenses.

Illinois Central Railroad TIME TABLES

Corrected Aug. 22nd, 1905.

South Bound.	No. 101	No. 103	No. 101
Leave Cincinnati	8:20 a.m.	6:00 p.m.	
Leave Louisville	12:20 p.m.	9:40 p.m.	7:25 a.m.
Leave Owensboro		6:30 p.m.	9:00 a.m.
Leave Horse Branch	3:40 p.m.	12:08 a.m.	11:05 a.m.
Leave Central City	3:55 p.m.	1:03 a.m.	12:30 p.m.
Leave Nortonville	4:37 p.m.	1:40 a.m.	1:28 a.m.
Leave Evansville		4:40 p.m.	8:30 a.m.
Leave Hopkinsville			11:20 a.m.
Leave Princeton	5:25 p.m.	2:27 a.m.	2:35 p.m.
Arrive Paducah	6:40 p.m.	3:40 a.m.	4:15 p.m.
Leave Paducah	6:45 p.m.	3:45 a.m.	4:20 p.m.
Arrive Fulton	7:55 p.m.	4:50 a.m.	6:00 p.m.
Arrive Gibbs, Tenn.	8:31 p.m.	5:17 a.m.	
Arrive Rives	8:39 p.m.	5:23 a.m.	
Arrive Jackson		7:15 a.m.	
Arrive Memphis	10:30 p.m.	8:15 a.m.	
Arrive New Orleans	11:00 a.m.	8:15 p.m.	8:30 p.m.

North Bound.	No. 102	No. 104	No. 102
Leave New Orleans	7:10 p.m.	9:15 a.m.	
Leave Memphis	6:50 a.m.	8:50 p.m.	
Leave Jackson, Tenn.		10:10 p.m.	
Leave Rives	9:43 a.m.	11:58 p.m.	
Leave Gibbs	9:48 a.m.	9:15 p.m.	
Leave Fulton	10:10 a.m.	12:35 a.m.	6:00 a.m.
Arrive Paducah	11:20 a.m.	1:43 a.m.	7:40 a.m.
Leave Paducah	11:25 a.m.	1:48 a.m.	7:50 a.m.
Arrive Princeton	12:39 p.m.	3:03 a.m.	9:20 a.m.
Arrive Hopkinsville	3:50 p.m.	9:40 a.m.	
Arrive Evansville	6:25 p.m.	9:45 a.m.	
Arrive Nortonville	1:28 p.m.	3:51 a.m.	10:35 a.m.
Arrive Central City	2:05 p.m.	4:30 a.m.	11:30 a.m.
Arrive Horse Branch	3:00 p.m.	5:13 a.m.	12:55 p.m.
Arrive Owensboro	4:55 p.m.	8:15 a.m.	4:55 p.m.
Arrive Louisville	5:35 p.m.	7:50 a.m.	4:55 p.m.
Arrive Cincinnati	9:15 p.m.	11:55 a.m.	

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

(North Bound.)	No. 306	No. 374	(South Bound.)	No. 305	No. 375
Lv. Paducah	12:40 p.m.	4:20 p.m.	Lv. St. Louis	12:22 a.m.	9:45 a.m.
Ar. Carbondale	4:25 p.m.	8:40 p.m.	Lv. Chicago	2:50 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	5:30 a.m.	8:05 a.m.	Lv. Carbondale	11:40 a.m.	7:05 a.m.
Ar. St. Louis	8:05 p.m.	7:08 a.m.	Ar. Paducah	3:35 p.m.	11:00 a.m.

CAIRO-HOPKINSVILLE LINE.

(North Bound.)	No. 101-801	No. 135-835	(South Bound.)	No. 122-822	No. 136-836
Lv. Hopkinsville	11:20 a.m.	6:40 a.m.	Lv. Chicago	6:20 p.m.	9:45 a.m.
Lv. Princeton	2:35 p.m.	7:45 a.m.	Lv. St. Louis	9:40 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
Ar. Paducah	4:15 p.m.	9:25 a.m.	Lv. Cairo	6:00 a.m.	6:20 p.m.
Lv. Paducah	7:00 p.m.	9:30 a.m.	Ar. Paducah	7:45 a.m.	8:10 p.m.
Ar. Cairo	8:35 p.m.	11:00 a.m.	Lv. Paducah	7:50 a.m.	8:11 p.m.
Ar. St. Louis	7:08 a.m.	5:00 p.m.	Ar. Princeton	9:20 a.m.	9:50 p.m.
Ar. Chicago	8:05 a.m.	9:30 p.m.	Ar. Hopkinsville		11:00 p.m.

Trains marked thus (*) run daily except Sunday. All other trains run daily. Trains 103 and 104 carry through sleepers between Cincinnati, Memphis and New Orleans; trains 101 and 102 sleepers between Louisville, Memphis and New Orleans. Trains 801 and 822 sleepers between Paducah and St. Louis. For further information, address

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Friday Morning September 15.

LOCAL NEWS

The Kentucky Realty Co., 108 Fraternity Building. Old phone 851.

Mrs. Dorian's private school will open September 11.

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Buy your school books and supplies early at Harbour's Book Dept.

Mrs. E. L. Whitesides, osteopath, 609 1-2 Broadway; Phones, Old 1434 and New 761.

Langstaff-Orm manufacturing company have filed against the steamer Charleston, a suit for \$12.68 claimed due for material furnished, while W. S. Howard has filed one for \$6.66 claimed owing him.

Manager Harry Lloyd, of the base ball club, goes Monday to Cincinnati to visit relatives, and incidentally close contracts with players for next season.

Several wrecked freight cars from the Obion, Tenn., accident, were brought here yesterday for repairs in the local I. C. shops.

Dr. Allen Lowery and family, of Blackwell, Indian Territory, passed through here yesterday en route to the old home of the former at Smithland. He is a brother of Banker Charles Lowery and a widely known professional man of many friends in this city. He located in Blackwell some years ago and is doing well.

Mrs. Mamie Meacham, of Mayfield, and Mr. J. Frank Cooley, of Cairo, were married yesterday morning by Rev. J. S. Cheek at the latter's residence beside the First Baptist church on North Fifth street.

The Ladies Mite society of the First Baptist church will meet this afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. Charles W. Emery, of 1103 Monroe street.

Tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock the Magazine club meets with Mrs. Birdie Campbell, on Broadway, to outline the programme for winter's literary studies, and also elect new members to fill vacancies. The first Thursday next month the regular meetings will be started.

Sunday, October 4, there will be dedicated the new Reindland Methodist church out in the county, and Pastor T. J. Owen has received word that there will be here to preach the dedicatory sermon, Rev. W. W. Duncan, D. D., of Raleigh, N. C., who is bishop of the M. E. Church South.

WANTS MILLION FROM CITY.

New York, Sept. 14.—William Waldorf Astor has filed a claim against the city for \$1,000,000, asserting that his property here has been damaged by the changing of the grades. The claim was published in the City Record yesterday.

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ABOUT THE PEOPLE

Mr. James W. Gleaves returned last evening from a two weeks visit to Lebanon and Nashville, Tenn.

Captain Edward Woolfolk has gone to the Tennessee river after a tow of timber.

Mr. Morris Nash is here from Louisville on business.

Mr. Alf G. Curran, of Harrodsburg, is in the city. He is the well known insurance adjuster.

Mr. John Lander, of Calvert City, returned home last evening after a business trip to the city.

Hon. John K. Hendrick returned last night from Smithland where he has been on legal business.

Mr. Henry Dryfuss has returned from a business trip to New York.

Mr. Robert Benner has returned from a trip to Pennsylvania and other eastern points.

Mr. N. W. Utley, of Kuttawa, is in the city. He was formerly state senator from that district.

Dr. D. A. Sherrell, of Newbern, Tenn., is visiting in the city.

Mrs. Gus Edwards has returned from visiting at Bayou Mills, Livingston county.

Mrs. J. D. O'Bryan has gone to Mounsville, W. Va., to visit her sister Mrs. Riggs.

Mrs. Birdie Campbell and son, Johnnie have returned from Louisville, where the latter was successfully operated on for mastoiditis.

Mr. Melvin Wallerstein today returned from attending the Red Men's meeting at Nashville, Tenn.

Dr. B. F. Reeder went yesterday to Viola, where there is ill his sister, Mrs. B. C. Brinkley.

Mr. Leo Keller returns today to his school, at Princeton, N. J., after spending the summer here.

Miss Mae Dilday, of Indianapolis, Ind., returned home yesterday after visiting Miss Emma Niehaus.

Mrs. John K. Hendrick and daughter, of Smithland, passed through here last night enroute to Staunton, Va., where the latter enters college.

Mrs. James M. Ezell is visiting relatives in Clinton.

Mr. Charles Turk and family last night went to Danville, Ill., to visit, and from there they take a tour of Colorado and California.

Mr. D. H. Woodworth, of Jackson, Tenn., has gone home after visiting his son, Mr. W. E. Woodworth.

Mrs. Richard Dunlap and children, of Paris, Tenn., are visiting the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. J. Newell.

Mr. and Mrs. John O'Bryan are home from Dawson.

Mr. J. E. Boynton is back from Denver, Colo.

Mr. Claude Baker is here from Greenville, Ky., preparing to move his family there to reside.

Mr. John Trent goes to Mississippi Sunday for a brief visit.

Mrs. B. K. Wearan and family have moved to Cairo to join the former's two sons, Messrs George and Harris Wearan, the wholesale grocers of there.

DUTCH TROOPS

CAPTURE ALOPO

Town is Only Taken After Sharp Fighting at Capital.

Amsterdam, Sept. 14.—A dispatch from Patavia, Island of Java, announces that the Dutch troops have captured Alop, the capital of Prince Loewoe, of the Island of Seeloes, who has been causing the Dutch trouble. The garrison of Alop offered a vigorous resistance, and the town was only taken after sharp fighting.

Bridal Gifts.

White marble statues are always cherished by a bride who loves all things beautiful. With the statues can be had those graceful pedestals in marble.

Lamps and electrolers continue to be sought by those interested in bridal presents, and clocks are in much demand. An exquisite gift clock has two candelabra to match. Desk clocks are in very attractive designs, some of the frames being set with jewels.

Very elegant presents are sets of books. A bride is happy with the old authors—then, too, books form a sore of joint gift to both the bride and groom.

Glove boxes are dainty gifts, and they are also valuable when filled with an assortment of those elegant summer gloves so necessary for a bridal outfit.

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TOBACCO MEN

ARE WATCHING WITH INTEREST THE HOPKINSVILLE CONFERENCE.

Committee From Farmer's Association Wants to Sell Italians About 8,000 Hogheads.

The tobacco dealers of this city, and all over the state as far as that is concerned, are watching with interest a conference now being had at Hopkinsville by Mr. Ferigo and Mr. W. J. Dunnington, representative in this country for the Italian government tobacco buying department, with the committee from the Farmers association, which is an organization of tillers of the soil who raise the weed. The farmers have about 8,000 hogheads of tobacco on hand that they want to sell the Italian representatives, and the deal, if effected, will have considerable to do with the tobacco market this year.

The foreign government each twelve months buys about 22,000 hogheads of tobacco in this section of the country. They appoint agents who buy for them. Mr. Thomas Stahls being the local man, Mr. Mike Griffin the buyer at Murray, the Fields Brothers at Fulton, and others at different points.

Messrs Ferigo and Dunnington supervise all the buying in this country and now the committee from the Farmers association want to sell them the many thousands of hogheads of tobacco the farmers have on hand. If this is done, it will put the Italian government on "easy street" and they will not have to go around over the country offering high prices for the weed, because there will be enough on hand to last them a long while if the negotiations are effected.

MEN AND THEIR WIVES.

First, to make a good husband a man should have had a good mother. Not only is she the standard by which he measures other women, but the way he treats her is generally the way he'll treat his wife.

Secondly, he needs in his wife a companion and a friend. An intellectual equal is not necessary to all men's happiness. He does not mind explaining things to his wife now and then.

A woman does not make her home happy by becoming only a domestic drudge in it. More than all, what a man requires in a wife is the ability to make a home.

Men want common sense in their wives. Pretty, silly, irrational ways may be enchanting in a sweetheart, but the man does not exist who thinks them delightful in his wife.

And the good husband will be considerate. He must look upon his wife as something more than just the woman who manages his house and orders; he must bring some of the romance and poetry of his courting days into his married life and keep it there.

The first telegraphic longitude station in Labrador has been established at Chateau bay by Dr. Otto Klotz, Dominion astronomer, in conjunction with Sir William MacGregor, governor of Newfoundland.

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FOR SALE—On North Sixth and Boyd, one 4 and one 5 room house. Inquire 1018 Trimble street.

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TAXPAYERS' NOTICE.

Paducah, Ky., September 1, 1905.
You are hereby notified that all persons owning, or having in their possession, or under their control as agent, guardian, or committee, executor, administrator, curator, trustee, receiver, commissioner or otherwise, realty, tangible or intangible personal property, on the 15th day of September, are required on or before the 1st day of October to give the assessor a true and complete list of same, with true cash value thereof, as of the 15th day of September, under oath, upon forms to be furnished on application by said assessor at his office, and that all merchants of the city doing business for themselves or others shall in like manner and in addition thereto, state the highest amount in value of goods, wares, and merchandise owned or kept on hand for sale by said merchants, during the three months next preceding such 15th day of September.

Prompt attention to this will save property owners additional cost.

STEWART DICK, Assessor.
Office Room 9, City Hall.

Approved, D. A. YEISER, Mayor.

TOBACCO MEN WILL MEET.

Prices for 1905 Crop Will Be the Chief Matter Considered.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 14.—The National Tobacco Growers' Association, representing Kentucky, Virginia, Tennessee, North Carolina and Wisconsin, will meet in annual convention at Owensboro, Ky., October 18, and continue three days.

The principal matters to come before the convention are the price for the 1905 crop, and discussion of a uniform system of controlling the marketing of the crop. Among the speakers will be J. A. Everitt, of Indianapolis; John W. Gaines, congressman from Tennessee; Col. John S. Cunningham, of North Carolina; S. C. Adams, of Virginia, president Interstate Tobacco Growers' Association; the Hon. Charles Fort, president Dark Tobacco Protective Association of Tennessee.

Veterans Meet.

Members of the J. T. Walbert camp, U. C. V., will assemble at their hall at 2 p. m. Sept. 15, 1905, to attend as a body the funeral of our late Comrade John V. Greif. Funeral from late residence of deceased, corner Sixth and Jackson streets, at 3 p. m.

By order
B. H. SCOTT, Commander.

LOSS OF LIFE ON MIKASA.

Placed at 256 by American Attaché at Tokio.

Washington, Sept. 14.—The bureau of naval intelligence has received advices by cable from the American naval attaché at Tokio to the effect that the loss in killed and missing on the battleship Mikasa was 256. The wounded number 343. The cause of the accident cannot be ascertained until the Mikasa is floated.

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